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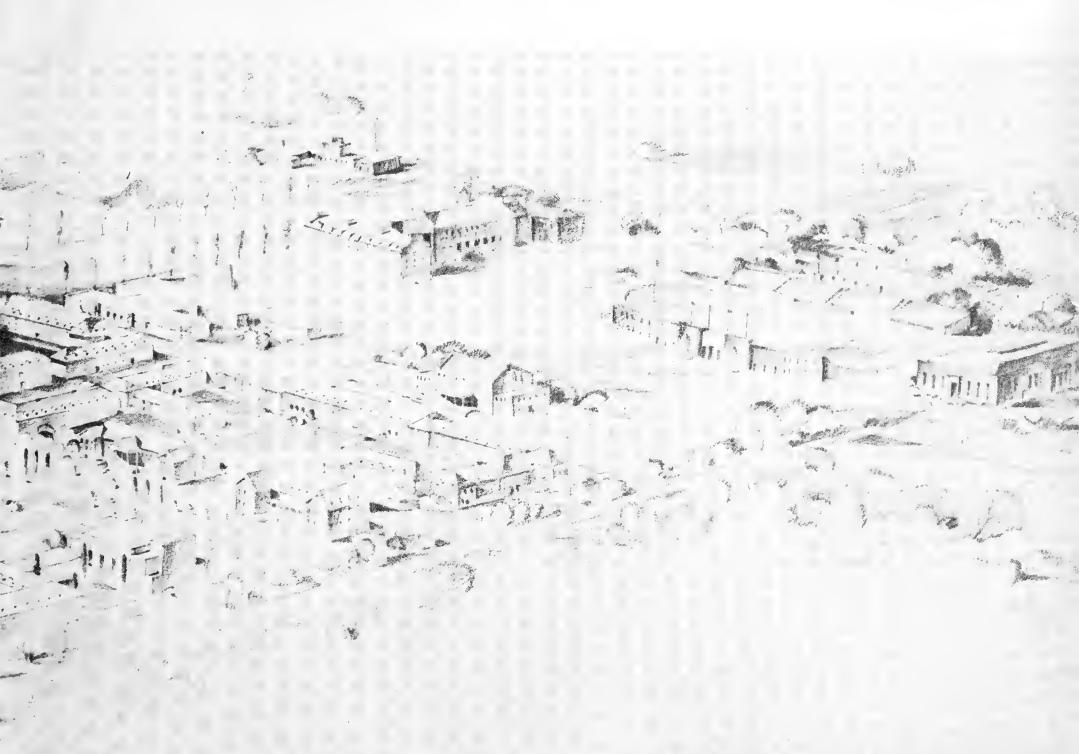
CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT PLAN — OKLAHOMA AGRIC DECEMBER

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### President Henry J. Bennett

Dr. Henry G. Bennett, in his past thirteen years as president of Oklahoma A. and M. College, has become one of the most outstanding and prominent educators in the nation.

Dr. Bennett, during his first year as A. and M. president, conceived a twenty-five year plan for the advancement and growth of our college. His interest, progressive ideas, and contributions have aided immeasurably in the development of men and colleges. So it is natural that we salute Dr. Henry G. Bennett, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., Ll. D.

## EDECATION

Oklahoma A. and M. College was founded as the "people's" college, dedicated to "the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions of life". To this purpose the Institution has been unfalteringly true. As the College passes into its second half-century in the service of the practical needs of man, it does so with the intellectual and physical stature which places it in the forefront of institutions of higher education.

We are confident that this College and the principles of democratic practical education for which it stands are just in the beginnings of an era of acceptance and service. This in no manner minimizes the services of the Institution as it exists today. Indeed, the promise of the future derives in no small measure from its capacity to meet fully and adequately the needs of today.

We must not narrow our conceptions of the College to its residential instruction only. Great as an institution must be in all ways to serve successfully a resident student body of sixty-five hundred, the demands upon it through its cooperation with the Federal Government both in the advancement of science and the service to farming and farm-related activities is of tremendous importance.

There is not a county in Oklahoma that is not reached by both aspects of the College's service. The years to come will see an even greater and more effective service based upon the changing needs of men. Thomps Bunnext

#### Tovernor Leon C. Phillips

Leon C. Phillips, the red-headed, fiery, cigarsmoking governor who has strongly supported the policies of the Oklahoma A. and M. College has become the state's most famous economy governor.

He grew up as a farm boy in Custer County, entered the University of Oklahoma Law School in 1913, and was named the best all-around student in his senior class. After graduation Phillips hung out his shingle at Okemah, Oklahoma, where he practiced law until January 9, 1939, when he became the eleventh governor of the state of Oklahoma.



## ROBEWOBD

My appreciation of the accomplishments of the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College over the past half century, and of its aims for the future, is sincere and deep.

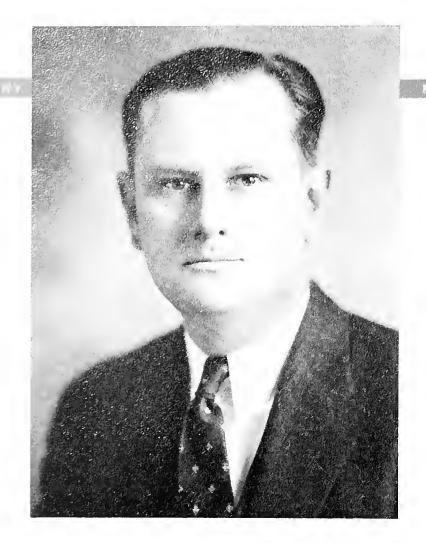
The thousand young men and women now leaving its halls of learning are a credit to the entire State,—and to the entire State they owe a debt for the training they have acquired here

For them, as they become more active in the affairs of life, and for us all, it is well to know that life is not divided into distinct periods of learning and of working. We work while we learn, and we learn while we work.

Greater opportunity for skill and wisdom, and greater need for sincere devotion to country and to our fellow men, has seldom if ever faced the youth of America.

If you, the 1941 graduates of Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, apply your learning to better meet the ordinary situations of life, for the benefit of man and for the preservation of our American ideals, continuing to learn as you go about life's work, you will justify your education here, and bring added renown to your alma mater. I believe you will do it.

Leon Chelji



President of the board, Joe C. Scott, is a former 4-H Club boy who lifted himself from his father's farm in Pushmataha county through a series of advancements into the place he now holds. Joe Scott, an A. and M. College graduate, was appointed president of the board early in 1937, and he was elected for a four-year term in 1938.

# State Board of A G B I O U I I I U B E

The State Board of Agriculture serves as a board of regents for Oklahoma A. and M. College and for the other agricultural colleges of Oklahoma.

These are Panhandle A. and M. College at Goodwell, Eastern Oklahoma A. and M. College at Wilburton, Connors State School of Agriculture at Warner, Murray State School of Agriculture at Tishomingo, and Cameron State School of Agriculture at Lawton.

All expenditures of funds, including salaries of staffs and faculties of all these institutions, new buildings, repairs, maintenance, appointments and general policy must be approved by this board.

Consideration of claims and requests of the colleges is given at its regular meeting time usually two days during the first week in each month, however, special meetings may be called by either the president or a majority of the board members when needed.

Most of the meetings are held in the office of the president at the state capitol, although on occasions at some one of the institutions in its charge.

The board is composed, at the present time, of Joe C. Scott, president, Oklahoma City; H. H. Mundy, rancher, Pawhuska; Clarence Kleinsteiber, a farmer and stockman of Olustee; Rufus Greene, a purebred Hereford breeder and rancher of Duncan, and a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. College; and Frank Keller, a prominent seedsman and stockman of Shawnee. Mr. M. L. Taylor, a dairy farmer and cattle breeder of Durant, died during the school year. Mr. Taylor was replaced on the board by Mr. H. H. Mundy.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE PEOPLE FOR THE PEOPLE

The president of the State Board of Agriculture is elected by the people for terms of four years. The four members are appointed by the governor for terms of five years.



M. L. TAYLOR

Scott has held the office since February, 1937, when he was appointed to fill a vacancy. Later he was elected to a four-year term beginning January 1, 1939. He was reared on a farm in Pushmataha county which he now owns and calls his home.

Three of the things which make him a favorite among farmers and students are his indefatigable good humor, his understanding of farm problems and the problems encountered by poverty-stricken boys and girls in trying to get an education, and the fact that he worked his way through high school and college by milking cows, farming, janitoring and teaching country school. He holds a master's degree in agricultural economics from Oklahoma A. and M. College.

In Oklahoma, the president of the State Board of Agriculture is also head of the State Department of Agriculture, which has offices and laboratories in the capitol.

Duties of the ten divisions of this department are nominally regulatory, the enforcement of inspection and quarantine laws of Oklahoma which are charged to the State Board of Agriculture. However, they often furnish valuable assistance to farmers, stockmen, and dealers in farm products.

Administrative offices of the State Department of Agriculture and the State Board of Agriculture are the same.



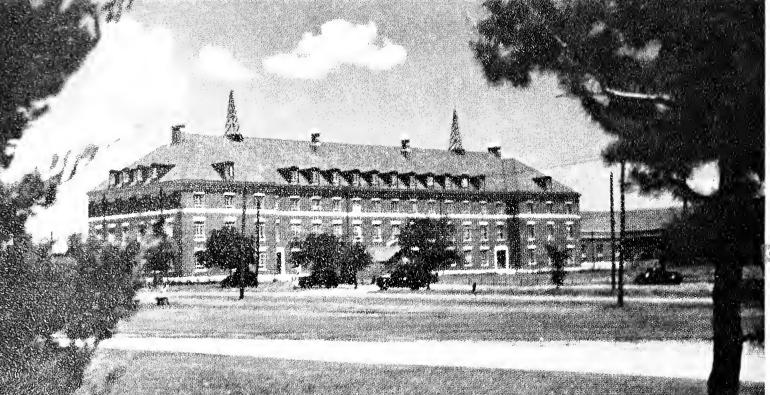




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HOME OF 500 CAMPUS WOMEN. WILLARD HALL LOOKS OUT ACROSS THE POND IN SINCERE. FRIENDLY WELCOME. AN INSPIRATION AND MONUMENT TO A GREAT INSTITUTION.



NEW HOME OF THE ENGINEERING SCHOOL. THE ENGINEERING BUILDING IS BUT ONE OF THE FINE NEW BUILDINGS THAT ARE HELPING A. AND M. SERVE OKLAHOMA AS AN INSTITUTION.

OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE



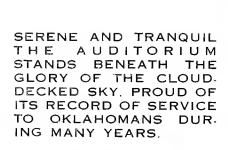
KODACHROMES BY LEON WOLLARD

Me Present

A great and modern educational institution, the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College after 50 years of progress and service—after 50 years of continuous effort—strives to attain a goal. Today this institution stands on the

rolling hills of a great State, a monument to service, a monument to the vision and foresight that has continually guided the forward progress of a great school with a singleness of purpose that now places the college on the very threshold of her ultimate position—a school where equal educational opportunities exist for all. Herewith is presented the visual evidence of her growth and estate—not perfect, not complete—but yet a great institution well down the highway toward a destination that has long been the goal. Built for service and utility.

L. L. Stolton





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- I THE SCHOOLS
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FOUNDED upon the precept that equal educational opportunities should exist for all, the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College has not once receded in its efforts to attain the fulfillment of this basic democratic principle. Men of vision and understanding have continually guided this great institution through hardships and storms toward this ultimate goal that today stand on a not too distant horizon. Attainment of equal educational opportunities is at hand, and the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College will be, in that hour, as diligent of her responsibility to serve Oklahoma as she has been during the 50 years of effort to attain them.

P OR 50 years this school has faithfully and sincerely served the people of Oklahoma and all mankind. This keynote of service has made possible the tremendous growth of the institution.

OT idle talk, service is today the primary commodity of the college—service to men and women where ever they are. Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College trained men and women today are aiding all mankind in the ceaseless effort to establish a better mode of life, and a finer conception of the American way of living.

THROUGH 50 years the battle cry has been service through equal educational opportunities, and today the manifold fruits of this unselfish devotion are evident where ever mankind breasts the tides of a strife-torn world. From the peaceful fields of agriculture to the whirling machines of industry, from the quiet countryside of Oklahoma to the farthermost points of the globe, from the therical realms of abstraction to the hulking masses of reality, graduates of this institution are engaged in a mighty effort to aid and abet mankind.

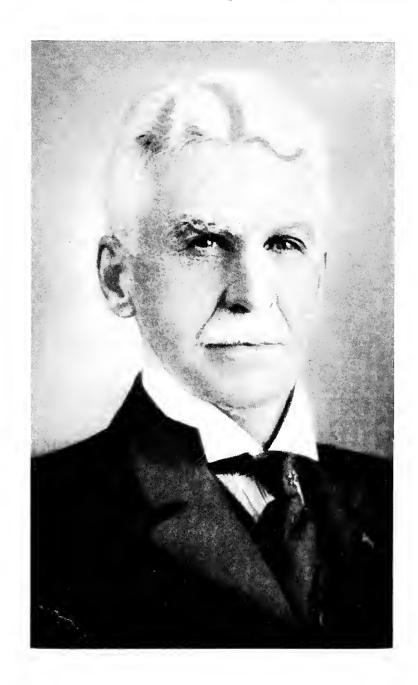
OT the spirit of the crusades, but the sober thought of men living close to other men is behind this magnificient enterprise of service.

TODAY, it becomes the responsibility of all of you who have known this institution to aid in the complete fulfillment of equal educational opportunities that all the world may benefit, and share the rewards of service.

#### R. J. BARKER

R. J. Barker, first president of Oklahoma A. and M. College, was virtually a president without a college. With no buildings, little money, and a faculty of only six members, the college was more a dream than an actuality. Forty-five students enrolled the first year.

President Barker, however, overlooked the immediate lack of the physical components of a college and assumed the difficult task as college administrator in a frontier community where there was much to be done and little to do it with. Just as Barker was stepping out of office, Old Central, A. and M.'s first building, was completed.

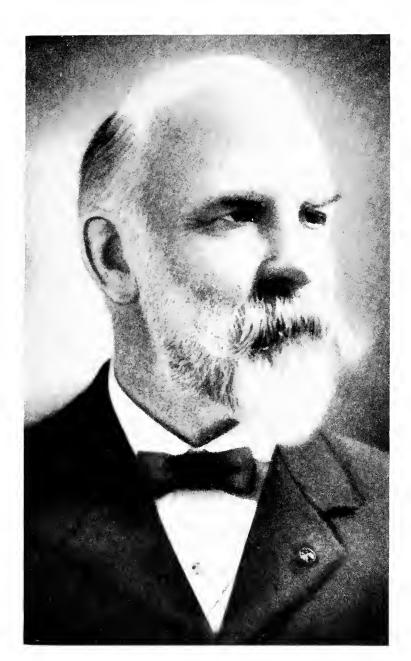




#### HENRY E. ALVORD

Henry E. Alvord, second president of A. and M. College, served as college administrator for only six months. During Alvord's administration, the college had one building, 155 students and had appreciably increased its curriculum.

First form of organized sport at A. and M. was in 1894. Highlights of the athletic program were the baseball throw, standing high kick, hitch kick, hop-skip-and-jump, mile walk and bicycle races.



#### EDMUND D. MURDAUGH

Stately, bearded Edmund Dandridge Murdaugh, was the third president of Oklahoma A. and M. College, and like his predecessor, he served but six months. For the first two decades of A. and M. history, the presidents also served on the teaching staff and Murdaugh was no exception.

The first college paper, *The Mirror*, was published May 15, 1895. Regarding athletics, the issue observed: "The time when it was thought a student must wear glasses and have a scholarly bump on his back has given away to 'this enlightened period' when people have discovered that where a strong body is, there is the place in which to plant the germ of knowledge."

#### GEORGE E. MORROW

George Espy Morrow was the fourth A. and M. president but the first to have the honor of conferring degrees upon a graduating class. The class of 1896 numbered six. After four years in office, Morrow resigned because of poor health.

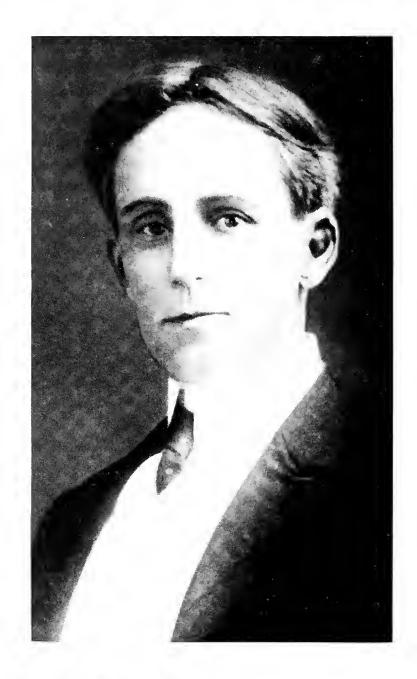
President Morrow was essentially an agriculturist, as were many of the early presidents. Before coming to A, and M. he had been head of agriculture at the University of Illinois, and he resumed his teaching in that field at A, and M. During Morrow's administration the Agricultural Experiment station began expanding its investigations in the interests of agriculture.



#### ANGELO C. SCOTT

During A. C. Scott's tenure as president of A. and M., enrollment increased from 366 in 1899 to 497 in 1908. Every phase of college activity developed proportionately, and the college acquired its second building, a library, in 1901. That building is now known as Williams Hall. Then in 1906, Morrill Hall was added.

Scott, one of the college's younger presidents, was a popular one. College funds were increased by the state and federal funds were added. It was during this period that short course study became an important function at the school.





#### JAMES HENRY CONNELL

James Henry Connell came up from Texas to serve as the college's sixth president. During his administration the enrollment was more than doubled and passed the 1,000 mark. Not only that, but the campus now began to look like a college instead of just a building or two on the bald-prairie.

The School of Agriculture, the first of the seven schools, was organized in 1911. Later the same year, the school of Arts and Sciences was organized. The first yearbook, the REDSKIN, was published in 1940.

During Connell's administration the school grew rapidly and many ideas and I plans that later were to become a reality or ginated



#### DR. LOWRY L. LEWIS

Dr. L. L. Lewis, member of the A. and M. faculty since 1896, became the school's seventh president. Although he served only one year as president, he probably did more than any other person to shape the early policy of the college.

The first REDSKIN, in 1910, was dedicated to Dr. Lewis who once was dean of two schools at the same time. He served as dean of the Arts and Sciences school from 1911 to 1923. Because of his deep interest in athletics and his service on the athletic committee, the stadium and athletic field are named for him.

During the dry summer of 1914 both Morrill and Gardner halls were destroyed by fire.

#### JAMES W. CANTWELL

By the time James William Cantwell had served his six years as president of Oklahoma A. and M., the college had 109 members on its staff. Dr. Cantwell served during the period of the First World War, and witnessed the college's contribution of 1,438 men to the army, 27 of whom lost their lives. Despite the war, the college continued to expand, with a total of 1,500 students in 1921.

As to athletics, up through the war era all Oklahoma colleges belonged to a state conference. A and M teams were strong in track and baseball, the two major sports.



#### JAMES B. ESKRIDGE

James Burnett Eskridge was president for two years, after which he fesigned. During his tenure the school continued to expand its program in all directions. A new library building completed while he was in office is the one still in use.

It was while the pedantic Mr. Eskridge was president that A. and M. enrollment exceeded the 2,000 mark, an increase of nearly 500 students in two years.





#### GEORGE WILSON

Governor Jack Walton's appointment of George Wilson as A. and M.'s tenth president brought the wrath of the student body and faculty down on the legislature. The appointment of the Alva school teacher was protested so vigor ously that he was removed after serving nearly two months. He died shortly after his removal.



#### RICHARD GAINES TYLER

Upon Wilson's removal, Richard Gaines Tyler, dean of the school of engineering, was named the college's eleventh president in an acting capacity. Tyler had been dean of the school of engineering for several years and his appointment met approval from both the student body and faculty.

#### BRADFORD KNAPP

Dr. Bradford Knapp's appointment as president of A. and M. marked the beginning of a new progressive period in college history. Dr. Knapp placed particular emphasis on the work of the Agricultural Experiment Station and the Extension Division.

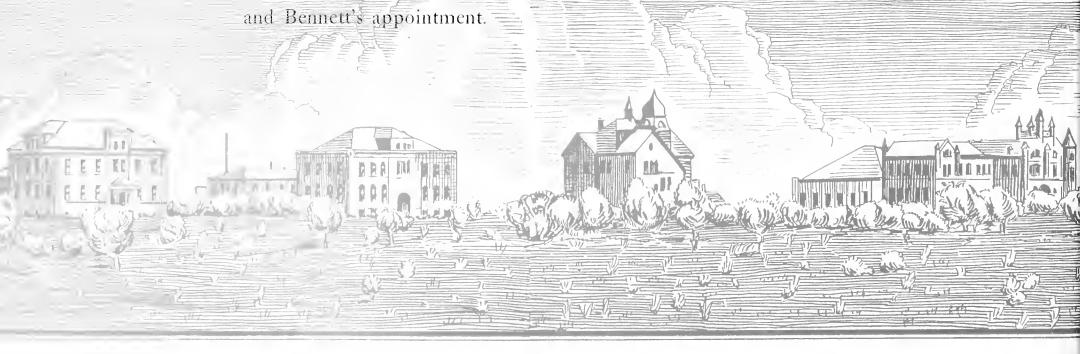
Among other events during Knapp's administration was the beginning of publication of the *Daily O'Gollegian* and the entrance of the Aggies in the old Missouri Valley conference. He resigned at A. and M. to become president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.





#### CLARENCE H. MCELROY

Following Dr. Bradford Knapp's resignation, C. H. McElroy was appointed the school's thirteenth president in an acting capacity. As temporary president, McElroy's main work was that of keeping the college on even keel during the period between Knapp's resignation and Bennett's appointment.





A MONG the oldest of campus buildings, Williams Hall stands sentinel-like at the southeast corner of the old quadrangle, its turretted spires both an inspiration and a monument to the growth of an educational institution. Formerly the Biology building, its name was changed to Williams Hall in honor of a loved and departed professor. It has played an important part in the educational lives of hundreds of A. and M. graduates. In the past it has housed every conceivable department, and the annex at the north was once the auditorium, later the college printing plant, and today the famed Prairie Playhouse.

Under its topmost turrets for years sat the Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences and the Dean of Men. In its basement was established the first printing plant of the *Daily O'Collegian* fifteen years ago.

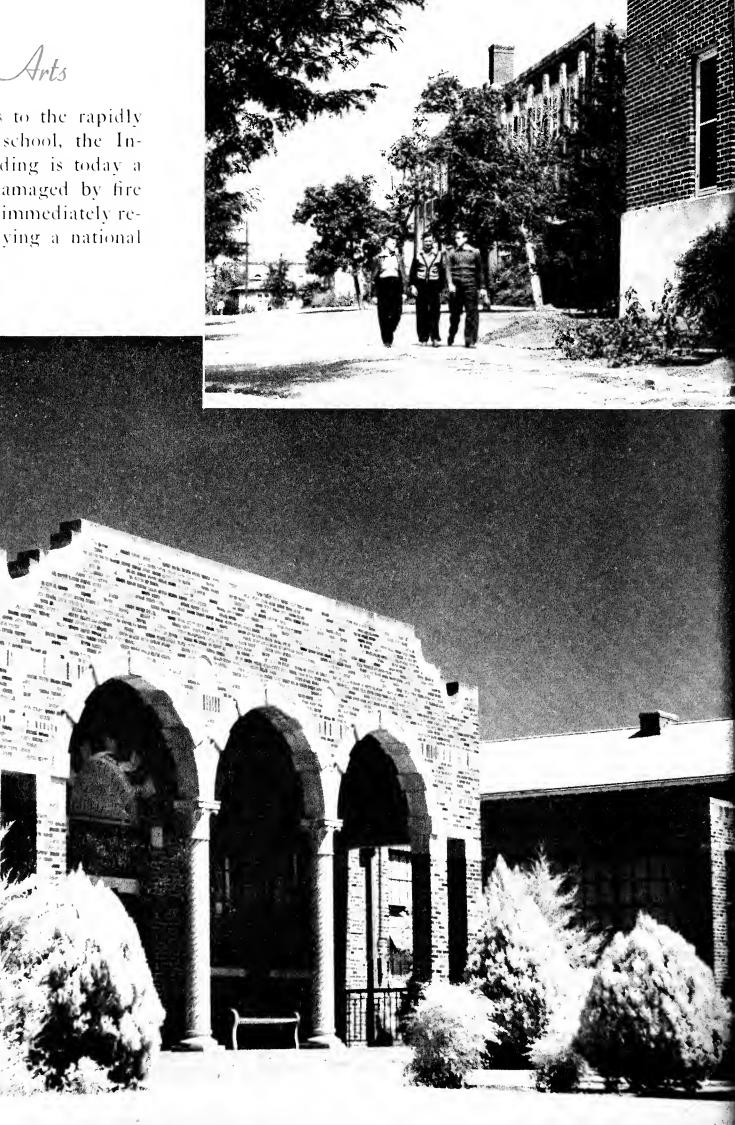
WILLIAMS HALL

#### Campus Walks

With the growth of the institution, student traffic between class periods has become an acute and increasingly important problem. New walks today are replacing the much-editorialized cow paths of the past. Thus beauty and utility are solving a traffic problem.

#### Industrial Arts

Earliest of the additions to the rapidly expanding Engineering school, the Industrial Arts shops building is today a campus beauty spot. Damaged by fire before it was used, it was immediately refinished. Now it is playing a national defense part.





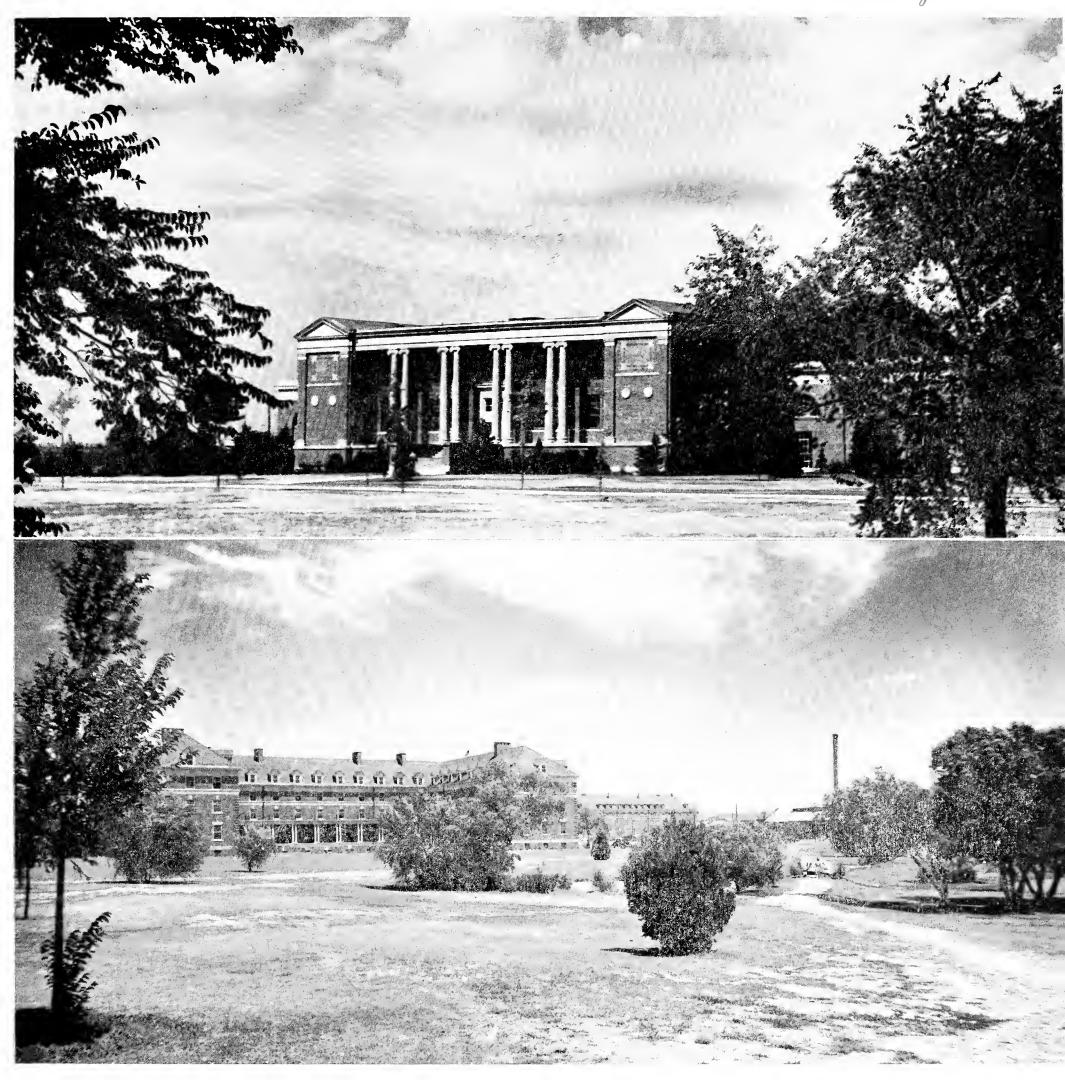


Modest, sincere, liveable stands the notpretentious home of the president flanking the southern gateway to the campus amid a rare and beautiful scattering of shrubs.

First of the large dormitories, Murray Hall is reputed to be one of the largest women's halls in the world. Its spacious entrance over-looks a favorite campus beauty spot.

Murray Hall

#### Animal Husbandry



Willard Hall

Permanent home of an International Livestock show trophy, the Bronze Bull, the Animal Husbandry building houses much of the activities of the famed School of Agriculture.

Second of the two large women's halls this magnificent building stands overlooking the highway entrance to the campus and a long line of fraternity and sorority houses.



#### College

Upon the broad, rolling hills adjoining the campus on the west lay the farms of the A. and M. College. Here School of Agriculture students have learned the fundamentals of scientific farming since the establishment of the College fifty years ago. On no part of the campus is the growth of the institution more pronouncedly marked than on these rolling hills.

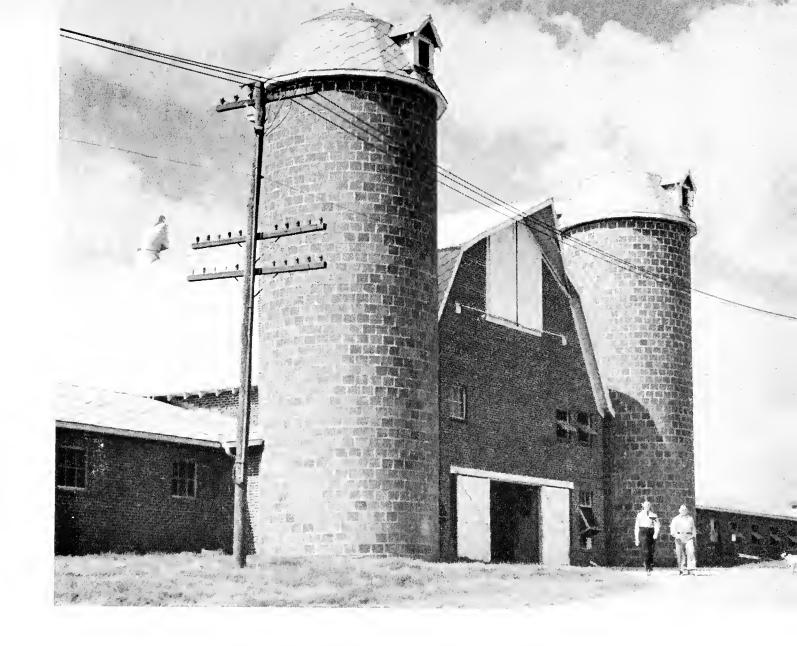
Here stand the splendid, modern barns for the livestock of the college. In these barns and on the fields of the college are bred much of the prize



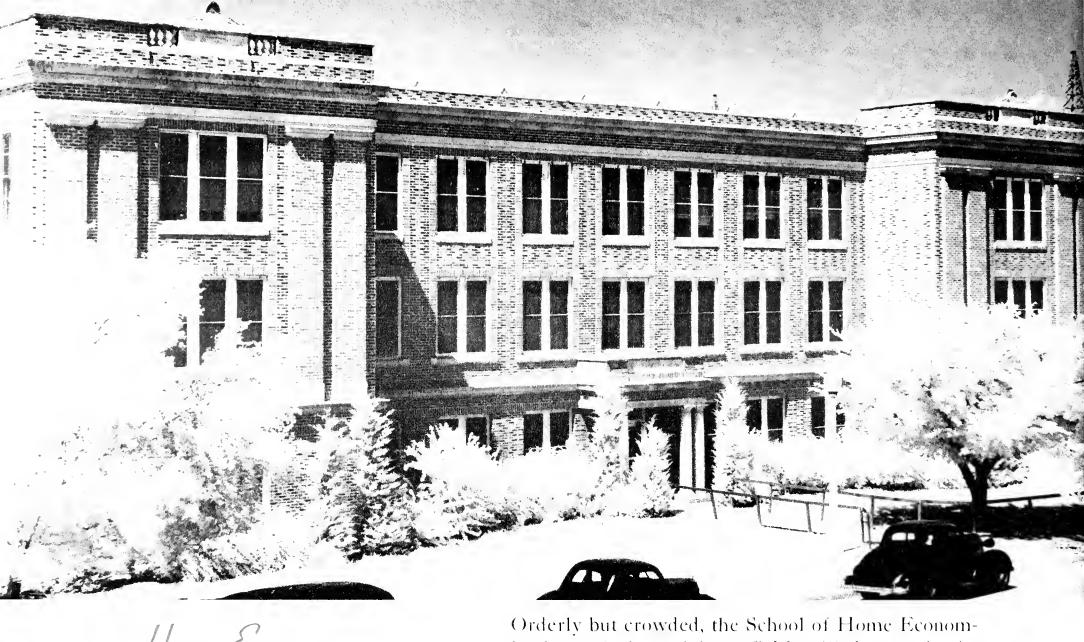
#### Farms

livestock exhibited at Ft. Worth, Kansas City, and Chicago. Here students learn the fundamentals of crop rotation, sound feeding practice, and all of the approved methods of better farming.

In the pictures at the left are two views of the modern Dairy Barn, and on the right at the top is the Beef Barn with the Dairy Building below. To the right of the Dairy Building can be seen the Beef Barn, the Meat Laboratory and the old Sheep Barn. Fine agricultural laboratories are conveniently located.





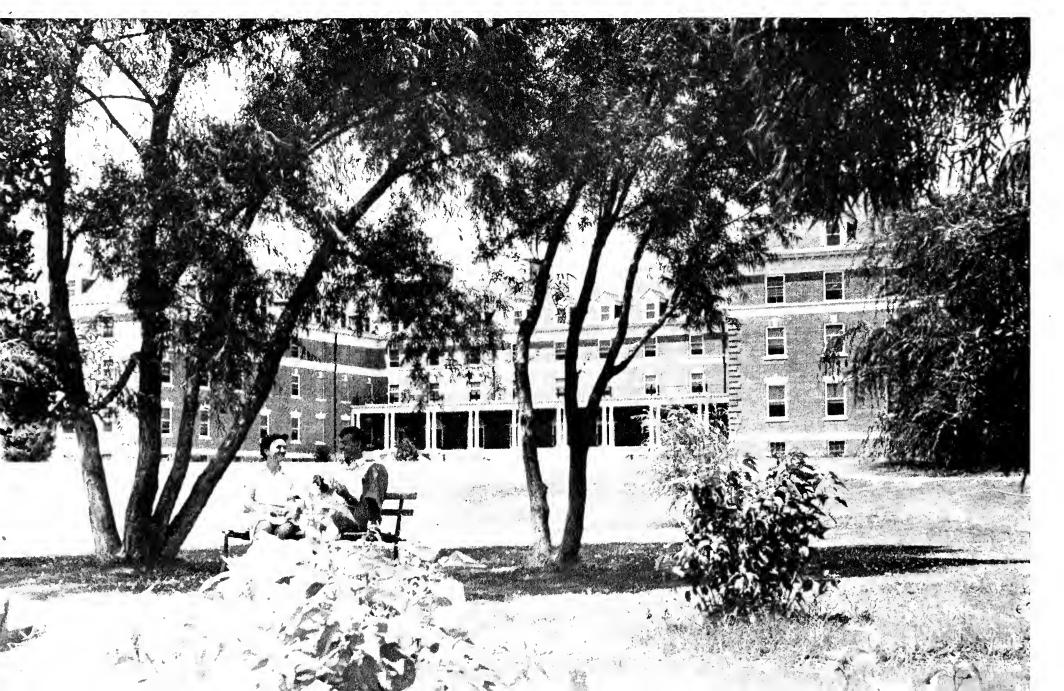


Home Economics

Shady Glen

ics is neatly housed just off Morrill Avenue in the campus center.

Natural beauty spots are beginning to appear on the campus as the years give glowing eloquence to the passing time.





#### Thatcher Hall

Originally built for a girls' dormitory, Thatcher Hall was named for the first woman graduate of the institution. Today, along the East side of the new quadrangle, it serves as a boys' dormitory. A companion building to Hanner Hall, the two proved the practicability of building dormitories on bond issues.

Most stately of all campus buildings, Morrill Hall, named for the author of the congressional act that made land grant colleges possible, has lent its name to the street through the middle of the campus. It houses the Schools of Commerce and Education. On its steps, students linger now and then.

Morrill Hall



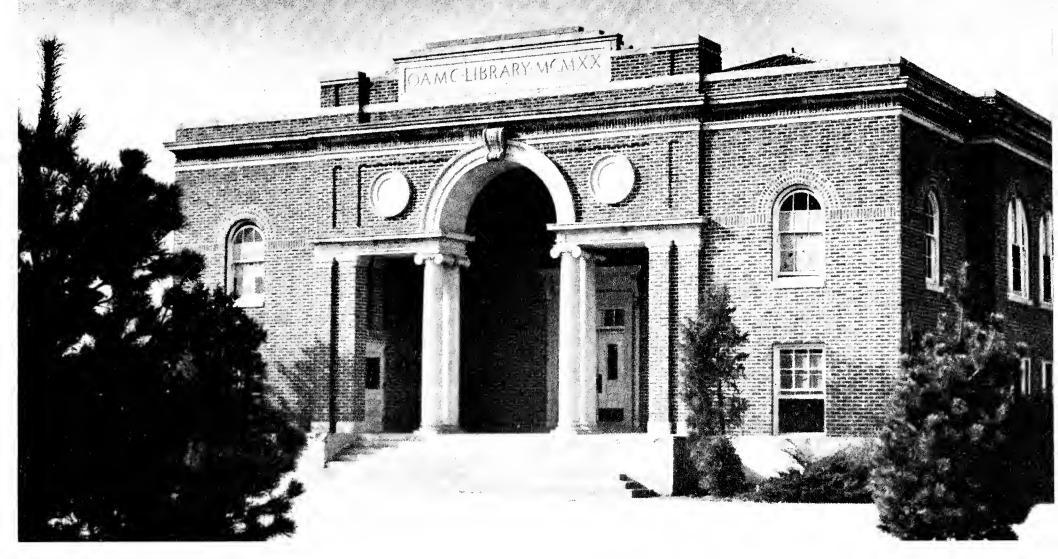


Science Building
Engineering Building

Crowded with students and evil odors, the Science Building offers an example of the institution's growth.

One of the newest additions to the expanding School of Engineering, the building gives them ample quarters.





Library

Administration

Southwest corner of the old quadrangle, the library has been outgrown by the institution in recent years.

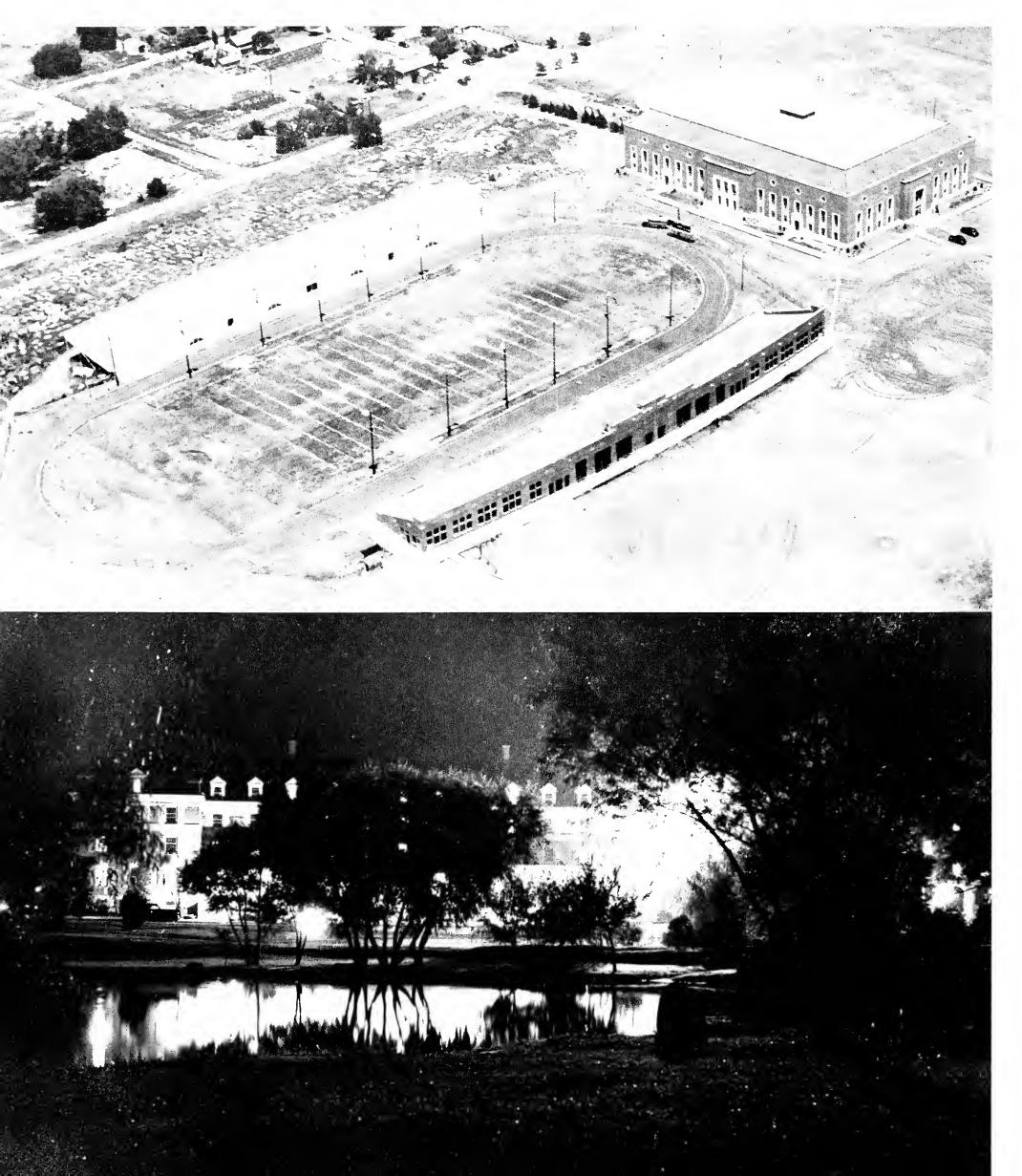
Unassuming doors lead into Whitehurst Hall, administration building. Inside work the men who guide the school.

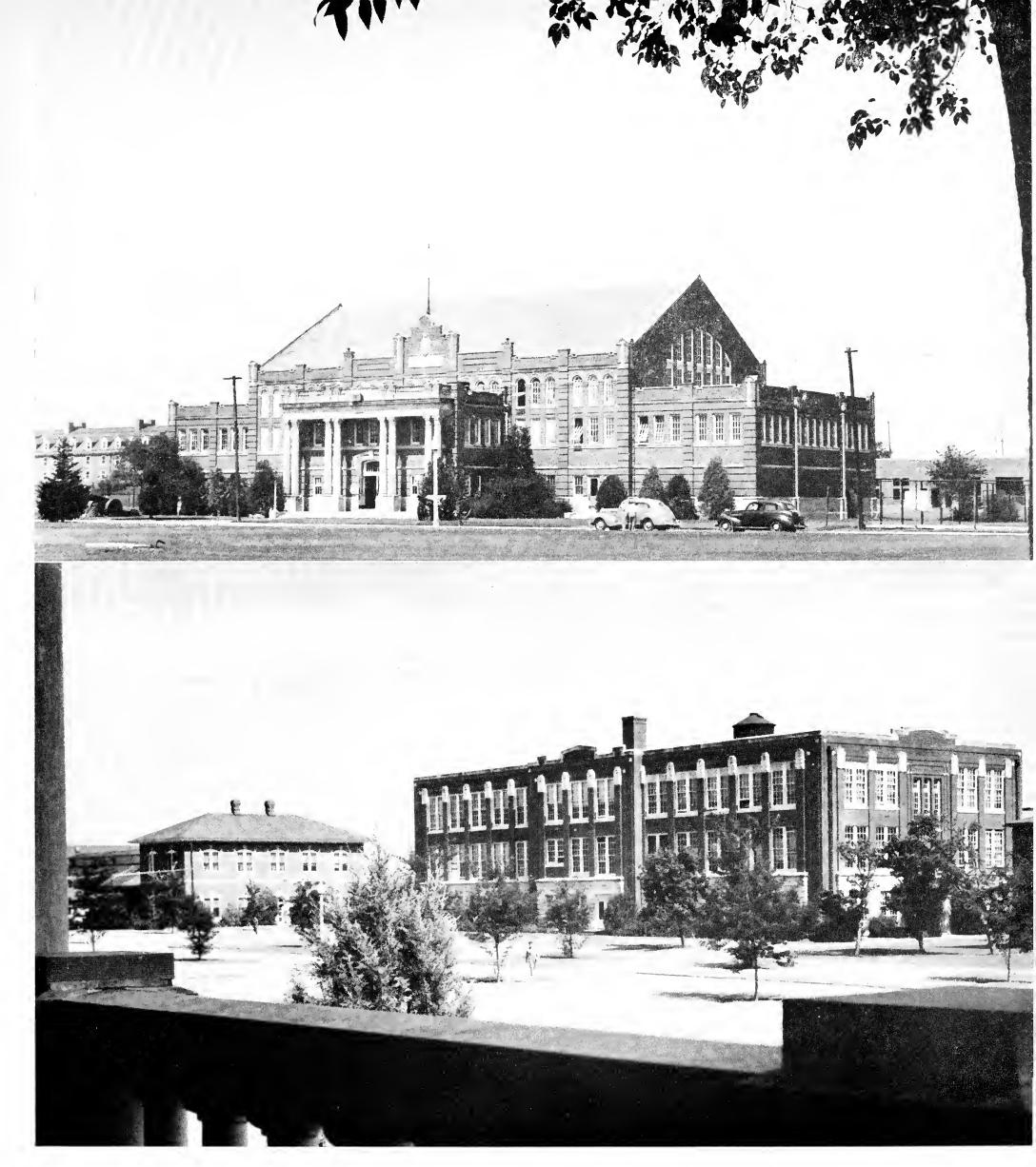


#### Lewis Field — Gallagher Hall

Gallagher Hall, named for Aggieland's immortal Ed Gallagher, looks out across Lewis Field in one complete athletic picture.

In a blaze of light the entrance and front of Murray Hall gleams out in friendliness across a campus pond.





The Old Gym, bandbox home of Cowboy indoor sports for years, today houses swimming and women's athletics as well as the military headquarters.

Home of the architect now-a-days, formerly the main fort of the entire School of Engineering, Gunderson Hall was named for a professor much respected.

Gymnasium — Gunderson Hall



fire station also affords campus buildings with excellent fire protection.

The rumbling, prosaic boilers of the power plant continue throughout the years to perform their duty faithfully, but the lusty whistle is silent because of music department pianos.

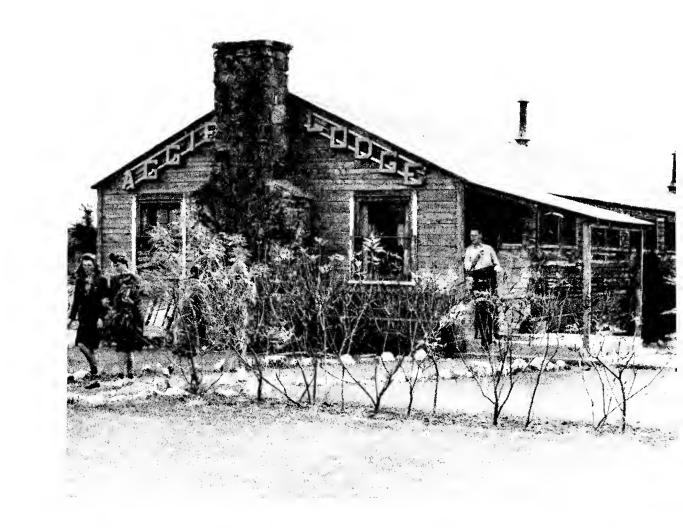
Power Plant

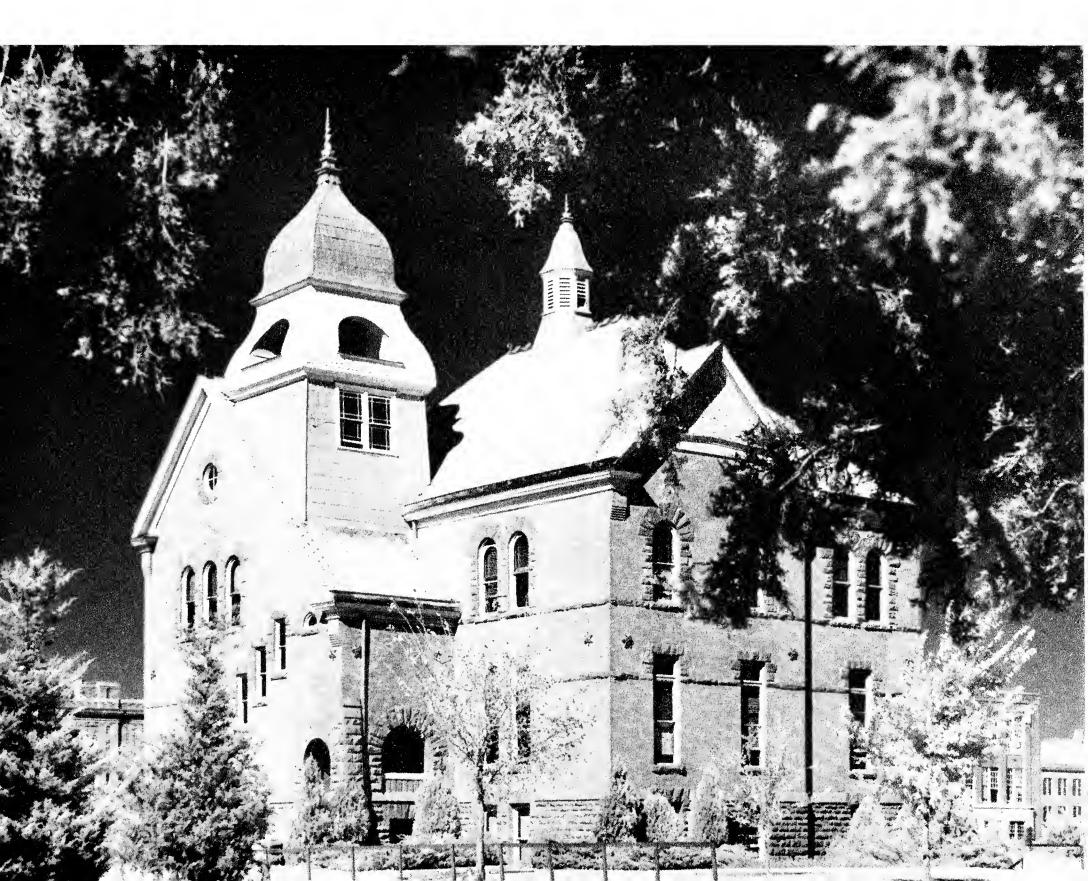
#### Aggie Lodge

In keeping with the federal promotion of student aid programs, Aggie Lodge became a monument to the ideal of equal educational opportunities for all. It provides food and lodging for NYA students.

First state college building, Old Central has become the cornerstone of all Aggieland tradition with its worn steps and its cupola and historic bell and clapper overlooking the campus gates.

Old Central







Vista of Memories

THE CROOL

## Administrative Department . . .



The Administration offices of the college are located in Whitehurst Hall. The offices of the President, the Assistant to the President, the Dean of Administration, the Director of Admissions, the Business Manager, the Chief Clerk, the Purchasing Agent, the Registrar, and offices of the Administrative Studies are located on the first floor.

John Oliver is in charge of the Administrative Studies. Many of the various records of the college are kept on the complicated International Business Machines. Besides keeping records this department runs statistics on many research problems.

Besides Mr. Earle C. Albright, the President's office staff includes: Sue Bryce McNutt, secretary to the President; Mary Crawford, secretary; Clarice Smith, stenographer and receptionist; Dale Fenton, office assistant; Veta Ware, secretary; and Winona Thacker, stenographer.

Miss Ethel Prosser, Cashier; W. K. Gilstrap, Assistant to the Chief Clerk; and John F. Houck, Auditor and Chief Accountant, are outstanding for their long years of service in the Chief Clerk's Office.

Besides serving as a vault for college records, the basement of Whitehurst Hall is a refreshment room for all of the Administration Staff. Here coffee and doughnuts are served during the morning and afternoon recesses.

- Jessie McVicker works in chief clerk's office . . . machines go all day long in
- the business offices at Whitehurst . . .

  Connie Truitt and other students try
- tea . . . Juanita Gibson smiles . . .
- filing in administrative research offices
  . . . Prof. Weatherby backstage . . .
- Barrick, Naylor, and Lawson at library
   . . . say ah!

# ... Efficient and Capable



Long outstanding for his efficient work in the business manager's office is Mr. J. L. Sanderson. Mr. H. H. Flynn has served in the registrar's office for the past sixteen years, and he has been very helpful in clearing grades for the various campus organizations during this time.

A college is not all students and professors—it is a small city within itself, and it must have a capable supervisory staff to wield the rule. Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College has thirty persons on the Administrative Staff besides Dr. H. G. Bennett, president; and this staff directs the physical equipment and transacts the financial business of the institution.



#### W. L. BLIZZARD ... Dean

Agriculture is a basic industry and it is so closely related to many other industries that it opens a large and varied field of opportunity to students. The School of Agriculture grants the baccalaureate degree in science to the departments of Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Education, Agronomy, Animal Hus-Dairying, Entomology, bandry, Horticulture, Poultry Husbandry, Sociology and Rural Life, and Agricultural Journalism. Development and application of science and machines into the world of agriculture have been followed by the development of agricultural courses which aid in the explanation of the technicalities of modern agriculture. Short courses are conducted periodically to submit the latest results of research to the farmers of the state.



## ... SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

In addition to training men to become farmers, the courses of study in the School of Agriculture are arranged to prepare students for positions of many other types. The extensive curriculum offered prepares students for positions as teachers in agricultural colleges and universities; experiment station work; specialists in the United States Department of Agriculture; extension specialists and county agents; teachers of vocational agriculture in high schools, junior colleges, and advanced colleges; agricultural journalists with farm publications and farm organizations; marketing specialists for farmers cooperative marketing associations; agricultural specialists for railroads, banks, governmental farm credit corporations, and development companies; and as research and extension workers for manufacturers of agricultural products, farm machinery and implements, and in the federal agricultural emergency program. Under the provisions of the Smith-Hughes Law or the Federal Vocational Education Act, the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College is the only college in Oklahoma authorized to train teachers of vocational agriculture. Graduates of the Department of Agricultural Education meet the requirements of vocational agriculture in the high schools throughout the state.

### Most any day among Aggies . . .



The faculty of the School of Agriculture is composed of many recognized authorities on agricultural problems. W. L. Blizzard is dean and director.

Agricultural Chemistry Research Head, V. G. Heller, conducts experiments which involve the use of chemicals as applied to agriculture.

Farm management and problems of marketing are investigated in the Department of Agricultural Economics, whose head is Peter Nelson.

The Department of Agricultural Education under the direction of D. C. Mc-Intosh trains prospective teachers of vocational agriculture.

The work of the Agronomy Department, headed by Henry F. Murphy, intends to fit young men to solve problems of soils and crops.

Dairy production and dairy management are under the instruction of Harry W. Cave who is head of the Dairy Department.

Practical methods for control of insects of the home, farm, garden and orchard are investigated in the Department of Entomology. F. A. Fenton is the head of the department.

The Department of Horticulture under the direction of Frank B. Cross provides training in the study of garden and truck crops.

The science and practice of poultry management are under the instruction of R. B. Thompson, Head of the Poultry Department.

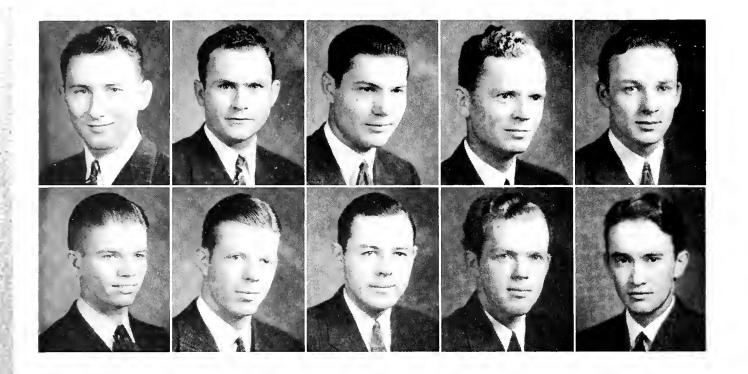
The Sociology and Rural Life Department is headed by O. D. Duncan, while Short Courses are directed by H. Clay Potts.

A lab instructor in field crops points out the various characteristics of plants . . . a scene from the Aggie library . . . the greenhouse attracts many visitors during open house . . . Jean Cooley, Aggie Princess, and other Alpha Delta Pi's solicit a vote from a bewildered Aggie . . . Professor Grauman of the Agronomy Department is one of the most popular instructors.



Jean Cooley
ALPHA DELTA PI

Aggie Princess



Left to Right:
Top Row:
Berousek, Bowland
Breedlove
Brooks, Howell
Bottom Row:
Bunch, Cleveland
Cole, Dinusson
Gathers

### AGGIE SOCIETY . . .

The school of agriculture, with its thirteen major departments, is characterized by a large number of organizations. It is in that school that Aggie Society, the largest student organization on the campus, sticks out like a nose wart.

Not only does Aggie Society go in for gross membership but it prides itself in the total number of students who take an active part in its management.

The officers, consisting of president and the like on down to a reporter, are aided by the Aggie Senator, Allen Heidebrecht, and members of Aggie Council, the executive committee of the club.

Aggie Society started off like the proverbial lamb during the year, with regular meetings failing to denote any outstanding accomplishments. Then the annual Princess race came along to serve as a much-needed tonic to the organization. Membership, caused by the intense interest generated in the race which elected comely Jean Cooley as Princess to replace Virginia Mae Price, took a sudden spurt, and Aggie Society was well on the road to one of the most successful years in history.

FLOYD FOLEY



Paid membership totaled 585 by mid-March and officers laid plans for one of the largest Aggie picnics on the records.

The club was headed by Floyd Foley, Ninnekah, president. Foley, due to excessive duties as an advanced flying student, resigned in early March in favor of Vice-president Harry Synar.

Synar managed the heated Princess race, one of the most spectacular on the campus. The "science" faction which supported Miss Cooley, barely nosed out the "live" group with their candidate, Katherine Reif.

Allen Heidebrecht, Aggie Senator, served as vice-president of the club when Synar moved to the president's seat. Elmer Parks kept the minutes of each preceding meeting, and Glen Winters managed the club's finances. The annual election of the Aggie Society is held every Spring. Candidates are required to file petitions in the Dean's office. If more than two candidates are filed, the Aggie Council determines the two most qualified candidates and they are then voted on by the Society.

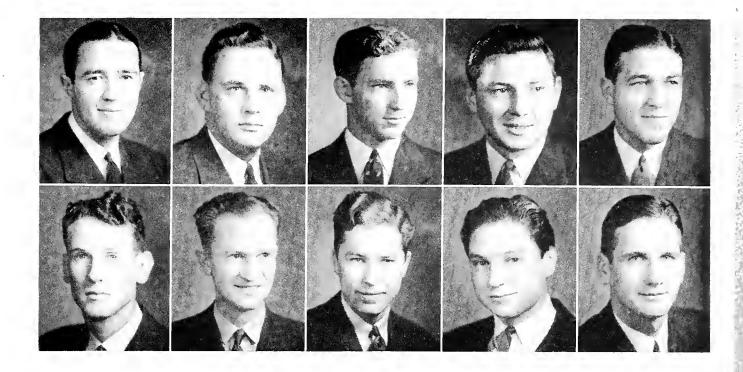
Left to Right:

Top Row:

Heidebrecht
Hightower, Holcombe
Logan, Meador

Bottom Row:

Morford, Shumate
Slack, Synar, Tallant



#### ... to which all belong

A large share of the success of the club was due, perhaps, to the faculty guidance from Vice-Dean Oliver S. Willham, sponsor of the club.

The club's executive committee, known as Aggie council, is composed of the president of each departmental club; the president of Alpha Zeta, a representative of Delta Sigma Alpha, collegiate 4-H club, the Collegiate F. F. A. chapter, the Aggie Senator, and the officers of the club.

The council handled the routine matters of the club and passed on the eligibility of candidates for office.

Continuing on the plan to invite recognized agricultural leaders for Aggie Society meetings, the club listened to Joe C. Scott, state board of agriculture president; Governor Leon C. Phillips; John A. Brett, United States attorney, and others during the year.

The club took a vital part in the successful Aggie Open House on April 23, and the famous Aggie Day with its colorful Apron and Overall Dance was set for May 19.

One of the outstanding events for fellowship sponsored by Aggie Society is Aggie Day. Each Spring the Aggies leave their classes, forget their books and lessons, and take their dates out to Yost Lake to join other fellow students and faculty members of the School of Agriculture in boating, swimming, softball, and other popular sports. This cultivates a strong feeling of friendship and democracy among agricultural students. Let's not forget the eats which are included in the picnic, as they always add to the life of the party.

Through its many avenues of approach, the Aggie Society is able to extend a wonderful opportunity for leadership on the part of students in the School of Agriculture and better acquaint them with the problems confronting agriculture today.

The increasing emphasis placed on agriculture over a ten year period is evidenced by the enrollment figures which stood at 470 in the year 1931 and have advanced to 925 in the year 1941.

ELMER PARKS





Left to Right: Front Row: Graham Heidebrecht Morford, Meador Thomas, Gerken Hoar Second Row: Oldham, Park Cole, Gathers Fraley, Shimp Baldwin, Hickok Third Row: Newton, Spore Nicholas, Carrier W. Miller Flesner, Brooks **Eddings** 

## BLOCK AND BRIDLE...

The Block and Bridle Club is a national organization of Animal Husbandry students. The local chapter was organized in 1920 as the Hoof and Horn Club, but was changed to the Block and Bridle Club in 1922. The Oklahoma A. and M. chapter has had two national presidents: W. A. Craft, 1922-26, and Dr. C. P. Thompson, 1932-33. The activities of the club include the sponsoring of a judging contest for freshmen and sophomore students in the school of Agriculture, a judging contest between the members and pledges within the club, the Little International Livestock and Horse Show, and an Annual Rodeo. The purpose of the last two functions is to help defray the expenses of the judging team members to the American Royal and International Collegiate Judging Contests. The purposes of this club are to promote a high standard of scholarship among Animal Husbandry students, to promote a better relationship between the students and the professors of Animal Husbandry, and to encourage competition in interscholastic judging contests.

Any student in the School of Agriculture who has chosen Animal Husbandry

ODELL MEADOR



for his major is eligible for membership in the Block and Bridle Club. Meetings are held the second Monday in each month in the Animal Husbandry Building with an entertainment program and a guest speaker for each. This year the group has been active under the guidance and leadership of Odell Meador, president; Delbert Graham, vice president; Allen Heidebrecht, secretary; James Briggs, treasurer. Since the club is recognized as one of the outstanding organizations in the school of Agriculture, all Animal Husbandry students are highly desirous of obtaining membership in the club. Due to the accomplishments of this outstanding organization, all Aggies from far and near deem it a privilege to be called a member.

Back Row: Cox, Wicker, Sufflee, Squires, Maynard ,Savage, Dugger, Dupy, Stroup, Carter, Brown, Mabry, Briggs

Left to Right: Front Row: Peat, Hodges Bright Lawerence Ninman Second Row: Tuttle, Sullivan Duroy, Kolar Cave, Berousek Burton, Taylor Third Row: Kuhlman Harvey, Gibson Harvey Harrington Barnhart McGillard



### ... DAIRY CLUB

The National Dairy Club was organized at Oklahoma A. and M. College in 1924 for the purpose of promoting a spirit of mutual goodwill among the students interested in the dairy industry, to develop leadership, and to aid in advancing the general welfare of the dairy student.

This year the Club has been granted a charter as a student branch of the American Dairy Science Association. Any regularly enrolled student who has attained junior standing, and has selected dairying as his major field of study is eligible for active membership. Any regularly enrolled student interested in dairying is eligible for associate membership.

Annually the Club sponsors a Freshman-Sophomore dairy products judging contest; Freshman-Sophomore dairy cattle judging contest; Junior-Senior dairy cattle and dairy products judging contests; Ladies Night; Dairy Homecoming breakfast and other Homecoming activities, and a spring picnic. This year a co-ed dairy products judging contest, and the Dairy Products short course banquet were added to the activities.

Officers of the organization for this year were Ernest Berousek, president; Ernest Kolar, vice-president; Elbrege Sullivan, treasurer; Clifford Burton, secretary; Marvin Taylor, reporter; and Ralph Duroy, pledge master.

With the splendid service rendered by the club members, led by the untiring efforts of the club's officers and faculty members, the group has experienced its most successful year.

The membership has increased rapidly the past few years, and there are now thirty active members and twelve associate members comprising the largest membership in the history of the club. Each member is given an opportunity to work for the welfare of the club and obtain experience in solving many common dairy problems through his association with the activities of the club.

Fourth Row: Ables, Penelton, Johnson, Beasley, Warner, Evans, McGillard, Collins Top Row: Lambert, Johnson, Robb, Summers, Caldwell, Womack, Humble, Coggins, Nolan, Hughes, Bowlin, Goodwin, Reeves, Smith, Kinke

ERNEST BEROUSEK





Left to Right: Front Row: Cook, Essary Payne, Lester Domnick McIntosh, White Bowlan, Casey England, Brooks Hickok, Orr Trogdon Holdeiread Comstock Davidson, Cook Second Row: Stroup, Briggs Turney, Tuttle Ninman, Hart Medłock, Bullen Thompson Maynard, Allred Meador, Gist Parham, Harp Park, Tucker

## FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA..

The Collegiate Chapter of the Future Farmers of America was organized in 1932 and is sponsored by the Department of Agricultural Education of the school of Agriculture. The purposes of the organization are: (1) To promote a spirit of cooperation and good-will among high school and college students who are members of the Future Farmers of America organization; (2) To provide training for leadership in activities of the Future Farmers of America for young men at Oklahoma A. and M. College who are planning to be leaders in the Oklahoma division of the organization; (3) To promote vocational education in agriculture in the secondary schools of the state; and (4) To cooperate with the state and national organization in promoting the activities, purposes, and ideals of the Future Farmers of America.

New members of the Collegiate Chapter are initiated as Green Hands. After a member has made sufficient progress he may be promoted to the Leadership Degree, and awarded the gold key worn by chapter advisers. The Collegiate Chapter sends initiation teams to high schools and district meetings to initiate boys.

SIZEMORE BOWLAN



Last year the chapter made a cash donation of \$115 to the building fund for the proposed F. F. A. building on the fair grounds at Oklahoma City.

The annual state convention of the Future Farmers of America is the big event of the organization each spring. The Collegiate Chapter coöperates with the state officers and supervisors in helping to make the annual convention a success.

The major social activities include a hay rack ride and picnic with the Home Economics Club as guests each fall, and a picnic in the spring.

The officers for 1940-41 are: Sizemore Bowlan, president; Harold Casey, vice-president; Wayne England, secretary; Curtis Brooks, treasurer; Everett Hickok, reporter; Don M. Orr, adviser.

Third Row: Jansen, Black, Edmundson, Davis, Jover, Smith, Shinn, Gibson, Merrifield, Hunter, Skinner, Kubicek, Stevenson, Stinnett, Christie, Crews, Borden, Stanford, Seikel, Maynard

Left to Right: Front Row: Carsloson Lashley Luderman Muncy, Landers Shepard R. Sullivan Chandler Phillips Albrecht Hawkins, Synar Adams Second Row: Luker, Rice Norris, Bunch Graham, Roach Adler, Sherwood Taylor, Evans Taylor



### ... COLLEGIATE 4-H CLUB

The Collegiate 4-H Club was organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. College Campus in 1924. The organization was originally known as the Delta Sigma Alpha fraternity which carried with it practically the same basic principles that it does today.

The purpose of the organization is to be of assistance to the individual members. The group aids newly enrolled men by helping them to adjust themselves to new environments which are experienced when entering college and by creating a feeling of closer fellowship among themselves. Other aims of the Club are to afford encouragement in lines of all worthy endeavor, and to give members advanced leadership training and keep them in contact with the extension service as well as to provide a society in which study and discussion of rural problems may be carried on.

The organization is a cosmopolitan group which draws its 135 members from every school on the campus; and the active members publish their own magazine, the *Collegiate Cloverleaf*.

This year the club has sponsored thirteen social events, an annual achievement banquet, outstanding speakers and entertainers; and the group encouraged a finer manhood and womanhood among the 61,000 junior 4-H members in Oklahoma and offered trophies and cups to worthy rural boys and girls.

The actions of the association are led by the executive members of the Collegiate 4-H Club who are: Harry Synar, president; Lloyd Hawkins, vice-president; Doris Sullivan, secretary; Wilma Jane Albright, treasurer; and Bonnie Phillips, song leader.

The sponsors who supervise the club's activities are: Mr. Paul G. Adams, state 4-H Club agent; E. E. Scholl, Director of Extension; Alice Carlson, assistant state 4-H Club agent; and Emma Chandler, home economics professor.

Third Row: Goodbary, Harrison, Clark, Baker, Costly, Conrad, Sullivan, Burrows, Spare, Sims, Frazier

Back Row: Steichen, Hessel, Jones, Hayes, Sadler, Morris, Jenkins, Dudley

HARRY SYNAR





Left to Right: Front Row: Berousek, Burton Brown, Cawley Simpson, Steichen Chesmore, Hollis Hutchinson Farrington Featherly Second Row: Conrad, Catlett Burgess McGillard Harper, Staley Ikenberry Thomas, Dunn Spears, Weidaker Rowley, Miller Provine, Jackson

#### PHI SIGMA..

An organization interested in biological research has functioned at A. and M. since April, 1925, when Professor Tobert Stratton and a group of his students organized a botany club. The group grew to include all the fields of biology, and in 1930 nationalized as the Alpha Eta chapter of Phi Sigma.

Membership is limited to students of junior standing or above who have onefourth of their work biology work and who have shown special promise in biological research. Pledging and an initiation banquet are held each semester.

Each year Phi Sigma offers an award of a silver plaque, designed after the society shield, to any regularly enrolled student of A. and M. who submits the best paper on an original research problem in the biological sciences. A committee selected from the faculty members of Phi Sigma determines the winner of the award. The prize is awarded at the Honor Day convocation and was won last year by Lawrence Temple for his work on wheat rust.

This group sends a delegate to the National Convention of Phi Sigma, which convenes with the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

> Membership consists of more than fifty students from the schools of agriculture, arts and science, home economics, and a similar number of members are from the staffs of these schools.

> Monthly meetings are held with discussions by guest speakers, or motion pictures are presented on subjects which pertain to interesting material in the biological sciences.

> The present officers of Phi Sigma are: Robert Ealy, president; Larry Bewick and Lon McGillard, vice-presidents; Marguerite Hutchinson, secretary; Albert Conway, treasurer. Faculty advisors are C. H. McElroy, K. Starr Chester, and H. I. Featherly.

> Phi Sigma has made much notable progress in the past and will advance with the college through the next fifty years to greater achievements in the field of science.





Top Row: Brensing, Hodges, Conway, Garrett, Dinnuson, Cole, Luker, Murphy, Wood, Shinn, Elling, Bewick, Ealy, Davy, Tallant

Front Row: Harper, Lowry Martin, Clark Steichen, Hesser Chambers Dilbeck, Derr Kirkpatrick Prater, Hawkins Stevens Second Row: Duff, Morton Lindon, Huffine Rowley, Potter Dunn, Holman Frazier, Ferrier Chaney, Garman

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### . . AGRONOMY CLUB

The local Agronomy Club was organized in the fall of 1922 under the name of the Klod and Kernel Klub. Dr. H. F. Murphy, Prof. Hi W. Staten, and Mr. Clay Potts were among the charter members who established the local club. The national organization of the Student Section of the American Society of Agronomy was former in 1932 at the Iowa State College. In January, 1934, the local club became affiliated with the national organization and at that time changed the name to the Agronomy Club.

The purpose of the Agronomy Club is to arouse interest in agronomic work, to develop a spirit of cooperation and helpfulness among the agronomy students, to provide an opportunity for members to widen their acquaintance in the Department, and to give members an opportunity to express their opinions on current topics. This year the Agonomy Club has a membership of 125, the largest in the history of the club. Each year it sponsors the Crops Judging Team which competes in the National Crops Judging Contest in Kansas City and at the International Crops Judging Contest in Chicago.

The Agronomy Club has charge of the Interscholastic Crops Judging Contest and the Agronomy Department's program during the Aggie Open House. It sponsors both the Freshman-Sophomore and the Junior-Senior Crops Judging Contests and this year has added a new one, a Soil Texture Determining Contest. To encourage speaking and discussion on current topics, the club organized a Speech Club as an auxiliary to the main club. Social and recreational activities include a soft ball team, a number of parties and picnics, including a box supper with the Home Economics Club, and a spring picnic.

DEAN BUNCH



Third Row: Bunch, Buxbaum, Clements, Hodges, Brensing, Ligon, Murphy, Davies, Cross, Stout, Rose, Ireland, Plice, Graumann, Staten, Roberson, Lodwick

Fourth Row: Whetsell, Griger, Wiederkehr, J. Murphy, C. Hobbs, McBride, E. Hobbs, Freyaldenhoven, Morgan, Luker, Elling, Beard, Simmering, Burch, Stone, Autrey, Spurlock, Buchanan, R. Chessmore, Reeder

Fifth Row: Jones, Conway, Cole, Levine, Jackson, Crittendon, Queton, Adair, Condonier, Callison, Albright, Ferris, Fox, Colville, Garner, Pass, Henderson, McDonald, Brant, Griffin

Back Row: Trogden, Downing, Stroup, Brotherton, Bellman, Williams, Hilty, Meggs, Burgess, Beckham, Cunningham, Grissom, Scruggs, C. Chessmore, McAfee, Moore, Wilson, Hamill, Ahtone



Left to Right:
Front Row:
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McGilliard
Panquite, Briggs
Cole, Gowell
Bunch, Morford
Wood, Connally
Fowler
Second Row:
Thomas, Walker
Garper, Carter
Lodwick, Ealy
Parks, Sullivan
Cortley, Shumate

#### ALPHA ZETA...

Alpha Zeta is a national honorary agricultural fraternity. It was founded on the campus of the Ohio State University, November 4, 1897, with twelve charter members. There are now chapters in nearly every state.

The Oklahoma Chapter was installed April 24, 1916. The total active and alumni membership of the chapter is now 467. The purposes of Alpha Zeta are to promote the profession of Agriculture; to develop high standards of scholarship, character and leadership; to develop a spirit of fellowship among its members; and to bond together a group of outstanding technical men who have achieved distinction and are capable of honoring achievements in others. Alpha Zeta does not invite for membership men of low standing in their classes, nor on the other hand does it intend to choose them on scholarship alone. Members of Alpha Zeta should be the agricultural leaders of the future, and on that basis they are chosen. Scholarship, moral character, and leadership are the major points considered in choosing members. Agricultural students who have at least a second semester Sophomore standing are eligible for membership.

ROBERT MORFORD



Each year Alpha Zeta makes a number of awards. For the school year, 1939-40, Harold Smith won the plaque given to the senior having the highest four year grade average. The name of Walter Stanley was engraved upon a plaque as being the Freshman with the highest grades. Medals were presented Marguerite Hutchinson, secretary; Albert Conway, treasurer. ing first, second, and third, respectively, in the Freshman-Sophomore Judging contests. The smoker for eligible members and the banquet for active and alumni members are two of the outstanding social events of the fraternity.

The officers for 1940-41 are: Bob Morford, Chancellor; Vernon Howell, Censor; Dean Bunch, Scribe; Howard Connally, Treasurer; Bill Cole, Chronicler; Clayton Wood, General Secretary; and Edward Fowler, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Third Row: Chessmore, Bullen, Brown, Brooks, Elling, Miller, Tallent, Casey, Heidebrecht, Potter

Fourth Row: Berousek, Meador, Gathers, Cole, Kellert, Bunch, Stiechen, Briggs, Hickok, Burton, Christian

#### PHILIP S. DONNELL ... Dean

The School of Engineering at Oklahoma A. and M. has kept abreast of the changing times. From the first group of three students, all having studied Mechanical Engineering in 1902, the school has grown into the largest school offered at A. and M. In addition to the growth in enrollment, the faculty has expanded to meet the increasing needs of the twelve Engineering departments. The following departments comprise the School of Engineering: Architecture, Art, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Engineering Experiment Station, Foods Engineering, Industrial Arts Education, Industrial Engineering, Technical Training, Fire Service Training, and Trade Industrial Education.



### ... SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

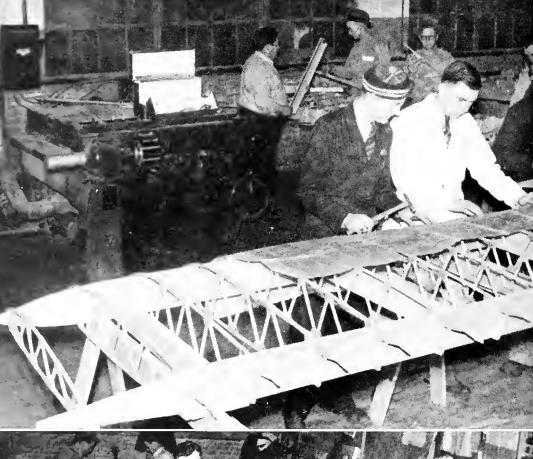
Due to an increasing realization of the value of men with an engineering training in executive positions in industrial organizations and the rapid growth of industry throughout the United States, Oklahoma A. and M. college has been called upon to supply adequately trained men to occupy vital positions. Students are prepared to fill positions as designers and draftsmen; engineering chemists; in technical electrical industries; in research laboratories; trade and industrial vocational instructors; and engineering specialists for construction and development companies.

The romance attached to the Engineering profession will never be lost even though the frontier days with all the hardships experienced by the early pioneers are over. The romance of today is not only in the life the engineer lives while harnessing the forces of nature for the benefit of mankind, but also in the building of ever greater bridges and ever greater generators and turbines and in finding new and more efficient means of transforming nature's supplies into new and useful materials that will add to man's comfort and well-being.

The horizons of engineering achievement beckon to the ambitious young engineers to apply their ability to the marvels of science and through their efforts create a new safety, security, and material well-being in the progress of mankind.

## In shops and labs . . .







The broad practical experience and technical preparation of the Engineering faculty enables the school to offer students training in an engineering school ranked with the best. George W. Whiteside is acting Dean of Engineering during the absence of Phillip S. Donnell who is on military duty.

The Department of Architecture under Head P. A. Wilbur stresses architectural design, engineering, and administration in combination as essentials to architectural perfection.

Ren G. Saxton, Head of the Department of Civil Engineering, guides civil engineers in the application of practical civil principles.

As head of the Department of Electrical Engineering, Albrecht Naeter plans to afford students with the opportunity for specialization in the electrical profession.

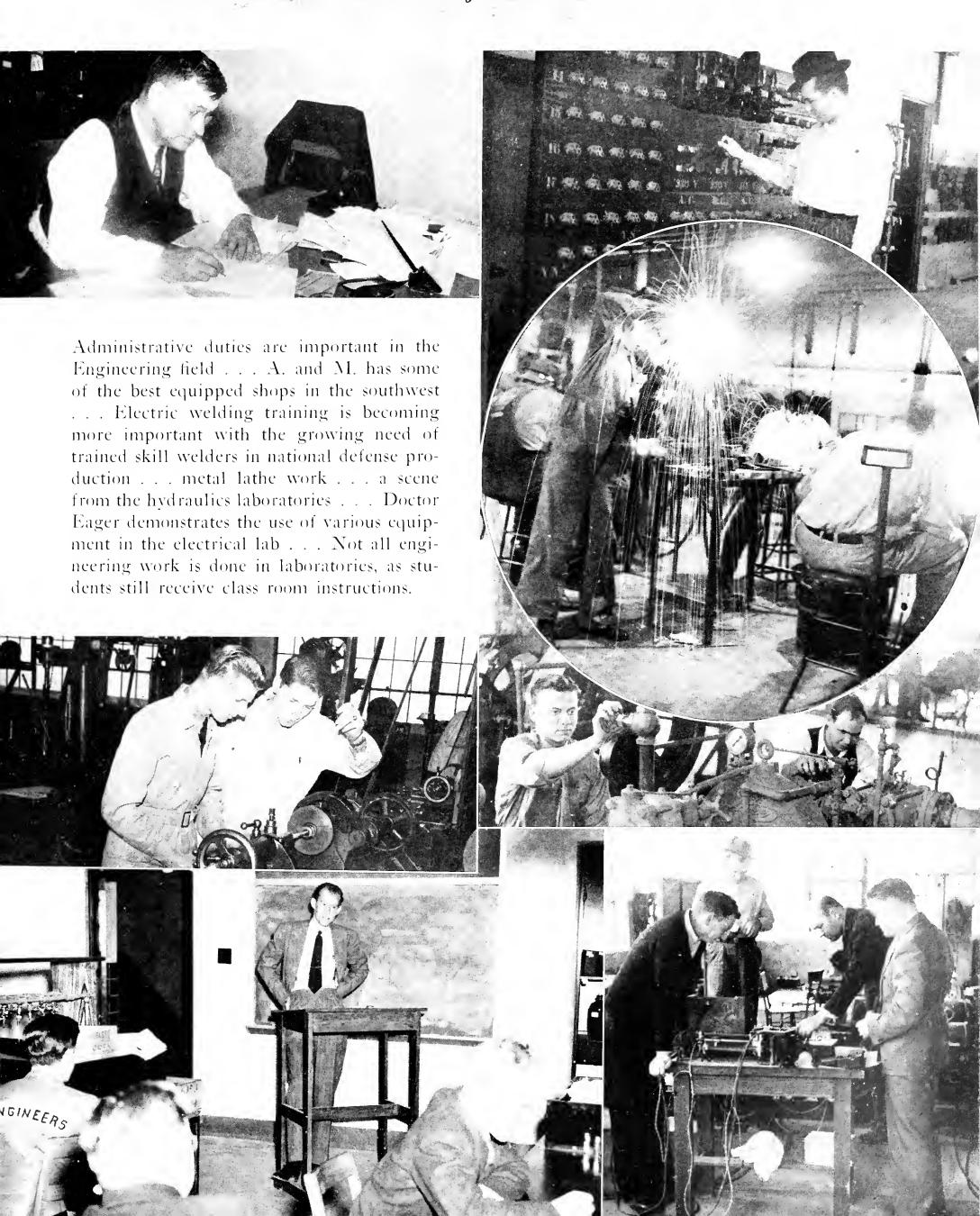
The Industrial Arts Education Department is headed by DeWitt T. Hunt. Through the Engineering Shops the department manufactures useful articles for the college and the state.

The design, construction, and operation of machinery now used in manufacturing and the production of power are emphasized in the Department of Mechanical Engineering whose Head is E. C. Baker.

The Department of Chemical Engineering whose Head is C. L. Nickolls; the Engineering Experiment Station headed by L. F. Shearer; the Foods Engineering Department; and the Fire Service Department complete the divisions in the School of Engineering.

The School of Engineering is cooperating with the Federal program of national defense . . . they are offering their shops many various courses in technical training for metal and airplane production work . . . the woodwork makes practically all of the furniture that is used in the furnishing of the various dormitories on the campus.

#### ... the engineers work





Left to Rigt: Front Row: Bruce, Troutman Crews, Worth Murray Dunaway, Wallin Frieden, Dwyer Winters Second Row: Graff, Shakleford Timmerman Bardsley, Thuesen Kirkpatrick Brown, Miller Kelley, Stapley Naeter, Evans

#### SIGMA TAU...

Founded as a local organization at the University of Nebraska in 1904, Sigma Tau has grown rapidly into a national Engineering fraternity. It now has 23 chapters in the leading Engineering schools of the country, the local chapter having been founded in 1923.

The ideals of the fraternity are those which best embody the qualities of an ideal Engineering education. The immediate objectives of the organization are the provision for a working nucleus for the stimulation of the activities in the Engineering school, the recognition of personal attainment of students in Engineering, and the promotion of fellowship among those in training for the Engineering profession. Invitations for membership in Sigma Tau are based on scholarship, practicability, and sociability. The scholastic requirement is satisfied when the student's grade average puts him in the upper one-third of the Junior class. Final selection is made by members on the basis of the applicant's relative merits pertaining to sociability and practicability.

At the regular bi-monthly dinner meetings, both business and pleasure are a

part of the program. Once each year, near Washington's birth-day, the chapter celebrates the founding of the fraternity by entertaining with a dinner-dance. Many alumni members take advantage of this opportunity to return to the campus to renew old friendships. Late in the Spring, the chapter honors its graduating Seniors with a Strawberry Feed.

To stimulate a greater desire for scholastic achievement among student Engineers, Sigma Tau presents each year, to the Freshman Engineer having the highest scholastic record, the Freshman Honor Award.

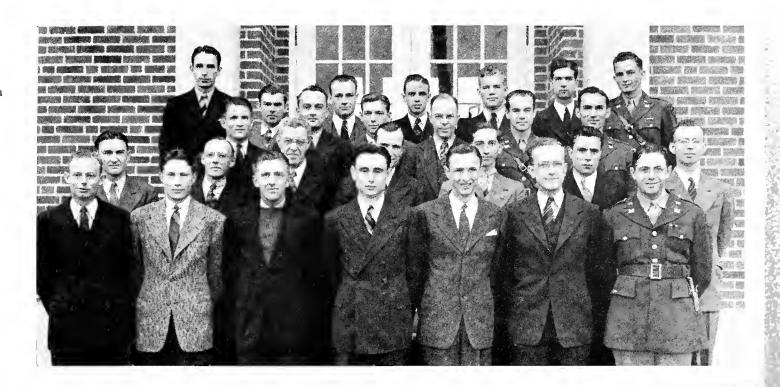
The latest and largest of Sigma Tau's many memorials is the erection of the giant Pyramid and Rail section in the quadrangle south of the Engineering Building.

BOB DIGGS BROWN



Third Row: Pajezny, Kennedy, Conner, Leonard, Shumate, Pollock, Barber, Feil, Finnley, Kastl, Linker, Montgomery. Whitenton, Simank, Parcher, Wheeler Fourth Row: Hinricks, Shaber, Douglas, Copmann, Purcell, Phillips, Bretz, Villareal, Thomas, Gibson, Peterson, Hall, Herndon, Walton, Russell, Andrews

Left to Right: Front Row: Vaughn, Baker Stewart, Finley Brown, Herndon Second Row: Johnson, Baker Maleev, Fischer Sparks, Bretz  $\mathbf{A}$ nderson Third Row: Dunaway Summers Shumate Leonard Kirkpatrick Evans Fourth Row: Vise, Barber Henderson Wilson Graff, Knox Miller



### ... PI TAU SIGMA

Pi Tau Sigma, national honorary Mechanical Engineering fraternity, was founded at the University of Illinois in 1915. It has grown rapidly and it now has twenty-three active chapters located in the leading engineering schools in the country having outstanding mechanical engineering departments. Lambda chapter of Pi Tau Sigma was the twelfth to be installed. Since its inception in 1931, it has fostered the high ideals of the engineering profession. Its members are chosen on the basis of sound engineering ability, scholarship, leadership, trustworthiness, industry, personality, and dependability. In order to promote and encourage higher scholastic achievement among the underclassmen, a slide rule or Marks' Handbook is awarded by the chapter each year to the high-ranking sophomore in mechanical engineering. This chapter has a large number of Mechanical Engineering teaching staff as Honorary Members.

Lambda chapter is guided by the faithful and capable advice of its faculty advisor, Dr. V. L. Maleev, nationally recognized and past national vice-president of the fraternity.

A smoker is given each semester prior to pledging for those eligible from a scholastic standpoint. Pledges selected then undergo a pledge week after which they are formally initiated. Pledges are hosts to members and dates on a hay-rack ride and picnic.

Officers for the first semester were: President, Gene Miller; Vice-president, George Shaber; Recording Secretary, Richard Evans; Corresponding Secretary, Jack Finley; Treasurer, George Graff; Guide, John Stewart.

Present officers are: President, Jack Finley; Vice-president, Howard Dunaway; Recording Secretary, Deane Summers; Corresponding Secretary, Joe Herndon; Treasurer, Frank Burgess; Guide, Gene Miller.

Jack Finley, official delegate, and Norris Shumate, attended the National Convention at Iowa City with Dr. Maleev, November, 1940.

EUGENE MILLER





Left to Right:
Front Row:
Leonard, Green
Murray, Wheeler
Stanfield, Collin
Netherton
Second Row:
Kennedy, Conner
Pojezny, Lothers
Harris, Andrews
Third Row:
Rogers, Campbell
Cummings
Cotner, Besson
Hendricks

## BEAUX ARTS SOCIETY...

The Beaux-Arts Society, an organization for students in the Department of Architecture, was founded on this campus four years ago. Since that time the society has grown into one of the most outstanding organizations at Oklahoma A. and M. College. It has grown as the students felt a necessity for making contacts and for keeping abreast of the developments in practical architecture and because it provides a means of social recreation for the members. These things have been accomplished by having practicing architects speak at various functions given throughout the year. The social activities of the society have played a strong part in the preserving of good fellowship among the students in the department.

The annual Beaux-Arts Ball is a highlight in the social life of the architects. It is held in the spring and prizes are awarded at the dance for the most original costumes. These prizes encourage everyone to have a clever costume and with the dance decorations, as only architects can design, the dance is always a colossal success.

SELBY WHEELER



Previously the society has been composed only of the upperclassmen of the department, but this year the organization felt it was defeating its purpose by restricting the membership of the freshmen and so they have been allowed to become members during their first semester. This is an aid to the freshmen because the organization acts as a connecting link between them and the upperclassmen.

The society completed a successful year under the direction of Selby M. Wheeler, president; B. J. Bruce, vice-president; Henry Henderson, treasurer; David Murray, secretary; and Duane Conner, corresponding secretary.

Many members of the society have received awards from the Beaux-Arts Institute of Design in New York City, New York. These awards are given only to the outstanding students in design.

Beaux-Arts Society does all of the art and poster work for the REDSKIN and other campus publications. Left to Right: Top Row: Nickolls, Lucas Ransom Second Row: King, Hall Clothier Schiefelbusch Mullin, Horton Third Row: Skinner, Sanders Wood, Dermer Markham Burrows, Higgins Bottom Row: Griffith, Bielmeier Schmuck, Brannin Timmerman Lincoln



## ... PHI LAMBDA UPSILON

Phi Lambda Upsilon was founded as an honorary chemical society at the University of Illinois in March, 1899, by several members of the senior class majoring in chemistry. The purpose for which the society was founded, as stated in the Constitution, was "the promotion of high scholarship and original investigation in all branches of pure and applied chemistry."

Since its beginning, the growth has been continuous so that there are at present chapters in thirty-eight institutions of learning throughout the United States. The total membership is about 10,500.

Alpha Delta Chapter was installed on this campus in the year 1929. The name of the local group before coalition with Phi Lambda Upsilon was Chi Sigma, which had existed as an honor organization here since 1920. Juniors, seniors, and graduate students, who are majoring in chemistry or chemical engineering, and who have a B grade average, are eligible for election to membership. The local chapter now has 25 student members and 19 faculty members. Meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month.

Phi Lambda Upsilon not only stimulates and recognizes superior attainment in scholarship and research in all branches of pure and applied chemistry, but also provides contact between men of like interests in institutions of higher learning where the tendency is for each man to go his own way. It fosters a spirit of good sportsmanship and friendly competition between students of chemistry.

Alpha Delta Chapter annually recognizes the outstanding student in freshman chemistry. The name of the student honored is placed upon a plaque which hangs in the second floor hall of the Chemistry Building. Chapter activities consist of business meetings, educational programs which feature speakers and motion pictures, and a spring social event.

The 1940-41 officers have been: President, Ernest Lincoln; Vice-President, Leo Treadway; Secretary, Robert Timmerman; Treasurer, Jim Pollock; Alumni Secretary, Taylor Barber; Councilor, Dr. O. C. Dermer.

ERNEST LINCOLN





The Sigma Tau pledge chorus swings out on the Auditorium steps . . . while another pledge uses the Engineer's brain, the slip stick, to calculate human dimensions.

## ENGINEERING SOCIETY...

In the school of Engineering there is one organization which has as its purpose the betterment of relations between its students. It is primarily a semi-social organization and is known as the Engineering Society. As far as the history of this organization is concerned, there has been an Engineering Society as long as there has been an Engineering Division of the College, the only changes being the membership and the personnel and the projects it has undertaken. Probably the most worthwhile of these projects is the *Oklahoma State Engineer*, the official publication of the Division of Engineering. The staff of this magazine is recruited entirely from the students of the Division, in order that those students may gain valuable experience in organization and administration. All activities of the Society are under the direct surveillance of the Faculty Advisory Board, composed of members of the faculty of the Engineering school, namely Dean G. W. Whiteside, Prof. H. G. Thuesen, and Prof. R. E. Stapley.

Membership in the Society is composed of the entire school, each student being required to deposit a fee of fifty cents with the chief clerk, to defray expenses

ERNEST JOHNSON



incurred during the semester for entertainment and other activities of the organization. With such a large membership it is difficult to maintain any degree of cooperation, so with this object in mind, the Student Advisory Board, with the assistance of volunteer workers and committees, endeavored to carry on the necessary executive work. Perhaps the most diligent worker along this line was Joe Dwyer, senior student in the Industrial Engineering Department, ably assisted by T. Ed Griffith, Norris Shumate, Ernie Johnson, Bob Villarreal, Jack Finley, John Stewart, and several others. In the capacity of unofficial adviser, Mrs. Lucille Ferguson, secretary to the Dean, was an unending source of information, inspiration and help. Her suggestions were always looked upon as good ideas. Credit should also go to Roy Fry and Bob Kelly, past presidents of the Society, for their work in establishing a sound basis for the operations of the Society and in making it possible for the organization to actively promote school activities.

Students receive instructions in the mechanics laboratory . . . Duane Conners holds the spot on the Sigma Tau pledge program . . . it seems as though the pledges take great delight in portraying their ideas of feminine figures.



#### ... embraces Sons of Erin

Kelly, who was forced to leave the Engine school, for reasons of his own, nevertheless, in his short tenure of office accomplished a great deal toward forwarding the better interests of the organization. The present president of the organization was elected at a special meeting, held at the beginning of the current year.

At this writing, the Engineers' Queen has not been elected, but from years past, experience tells us that the contest will be a warm one with interest at the highest peak of the year. Whoever she may be, the queen will reign for the coming year, in all regal splendor, over twelve hundred engineers, in one of the most coveted of positions to be had on the entire campus. Her coronation will take place at the annual St. Pat's Dance, an affair that is looked forward to with great anticipation by all engineers, and constitutes their social highlight of the year.

Plans are under way for the completion of decorating and furnishing of the Engineering Society Club Room, with the Beaux-Arts Society of the Department of Architecture in charge. This room is one set aside for relaxation, study and

general get-together of students during the day, in their off hours and between classes. Plans are also being made for next year's activities, in order that future officers may start the year with a bang, without any orientation or delay, and finish the year in stride, with all that was attempted, accomplished. In this way it is hoped that the traditions of the school and the society will be upheld and perpetuated through each succeeding year. Any or all success, if one might term it as such, for the past year has been due to the cooperation of the officers of the Society, and those who have been interested enough in the organization to see that its objects were accomplished. Thanks should go in particular to Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. Thuesen, and Joe Dwyer, for their never-ending interest, and to the other officers, who have done so much to guide the energy of the organization.

Everyone is looking forward to the end of the year, and all its accompanying activities, and to the election of the new officers.

CHESLEY SPARKS





#### NORA A. TALBOT ... Dean

Home Economics courses of college rank were first offered at Oklahoma A. and M. college in 1900, with the faculty consisting of one teacher and ten students. The school of Home Economics was organized as such in 1915, with a faculty of six members. Since that period of organization twenty-six years ago, the enrollment has grown to such an extent that many of the present classrooms and laboratories are receiving maximum utilization.

The curriculum of the School of Home Economics offers specific required courses to undergraduate students in the freshman and sophomore years, and it proceeds to offer specialized and technical training in the concluding junior and senior years.

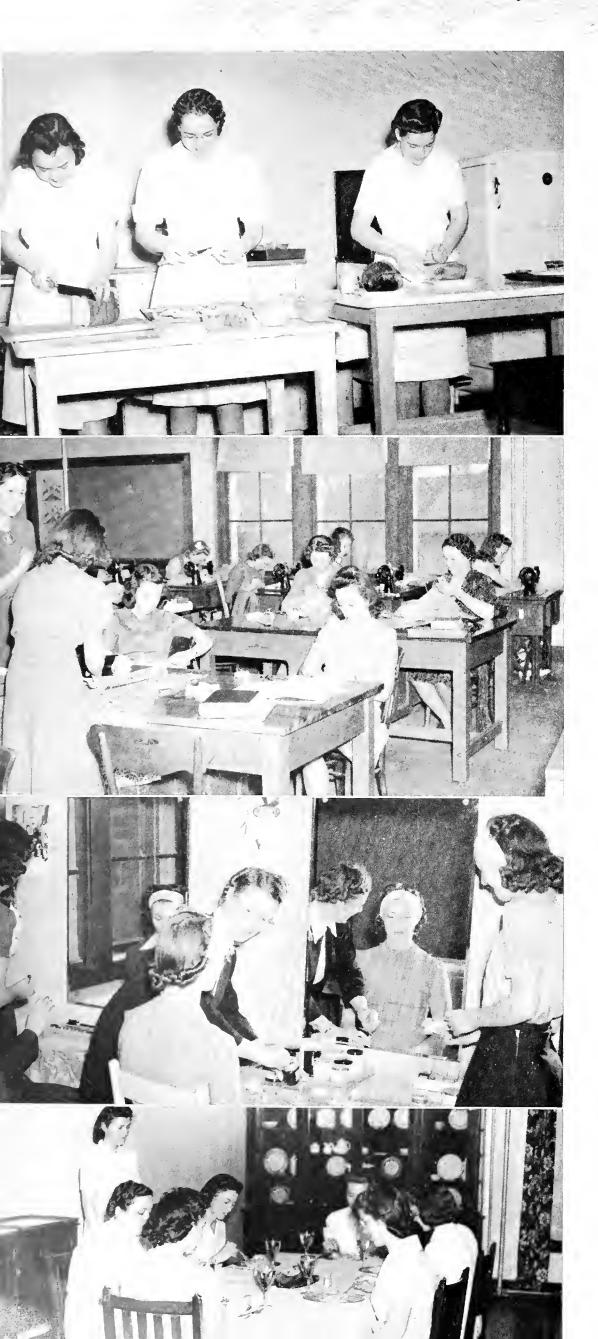


## ... SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS

In addition to training women in the art of homemaking, the School of Home Economics prepares students for numerous types of positions. These positions include openings in the public schools of the state as vocational instructors, home demonstration agents, farm journalists and reporters, dietitians, interior decorators, and as authorities on clothing construction and selection. This training may be obtained from the five major fields offered to the student of Home Economics: Household Arts, Household Science, Home Economics Education, General Home Economics, and Hotel Administration. Bachelor of Science degrees are awarded to those completing the required work in these five departments of the school and also in Home Economics Journalism.

The School of Home Economics in the achievement of its aim to promote better home making, home living, and vocational instruction renders many valuable public services. Farm journalists and county demonstration agents carry the college services directly to the rural areas, parent education classes are conducted, short courses are offered in meats and similar subjects, radio broadcasts are made in order to reach the public, and members of the faculty often distribute information concerning the problems of home economics in order to promote home life education and thus be of public service.

## Home-making more than art . . .



Nora Amaryllis Talbot is the administrative Dean of the School of Home Economics, and it has been largely through her efforts and inspiration that the scope of the school's training has been enlarged and a mark of high standards established.

Dean Talbot holds the degrees of Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Science from A. and M. A Master's degree was received from Columbia, while a year of advanced work was completed later at Harvard.

Supervision of practice teaching in public schools by students is the responsibility of the Department of Home Economics Education which is headed by Millie V. Pearson.

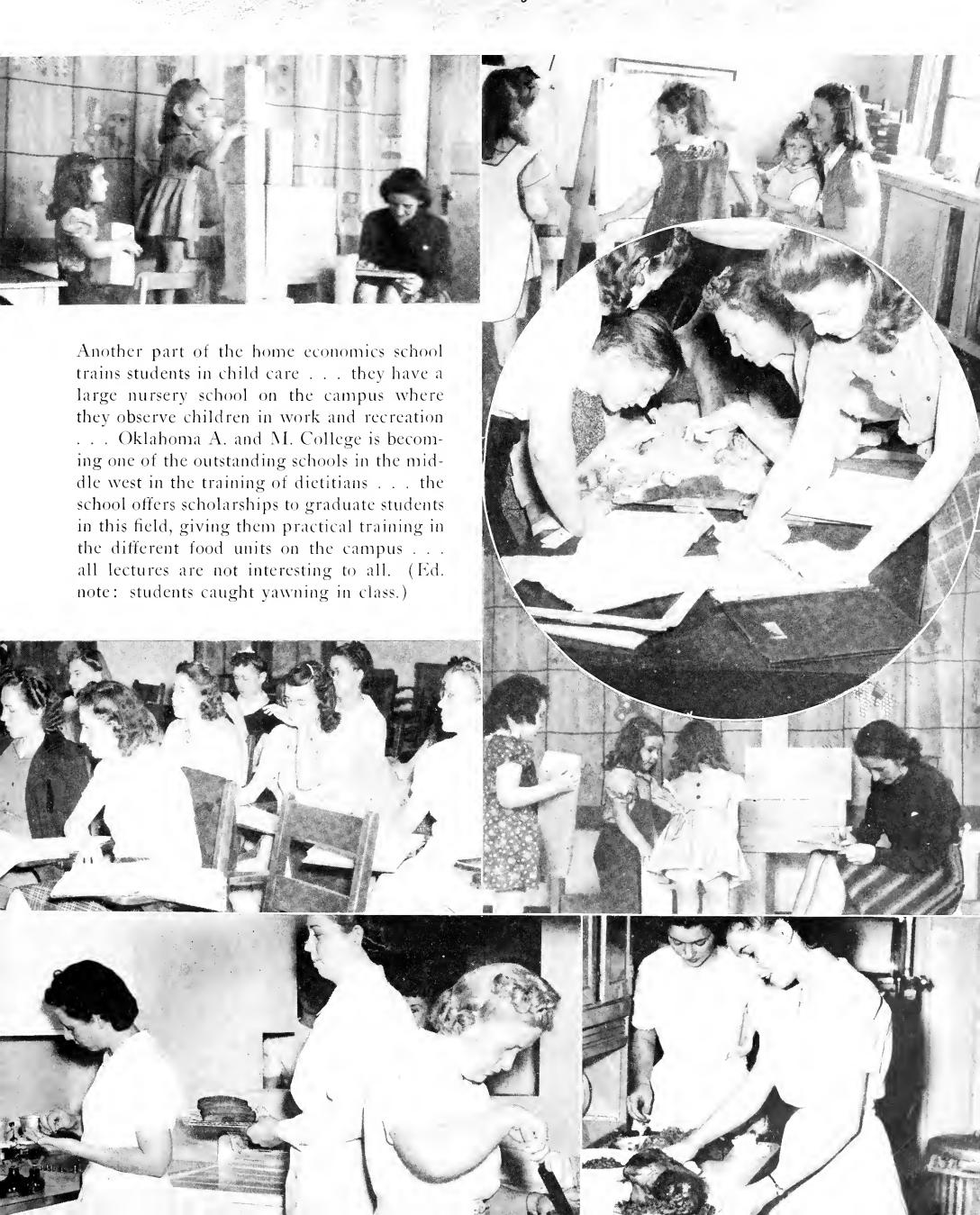
Activities of the Department of Household Arts under the guidance of acting Head Dorothy Saville, include contributions to farm publications and consultations on clothing, textiles, and interior decoration.

The Department of Household Science supervises field work in nutrition, dietetics and conducts a nursery in order to study the education of pre-school age children. Daisy I. Purdy is Head of the department.

The aim of the School of Home Economics is to combine a special skill with a general background of training. The objective is to train the homemaker in science, art, and economics and create a well-rounded personality. Integrity of character is instilled into the graduates by the high standards upheld by the progressive school.

The home ec lab trains students in all phases of home life . . . in food preparation . . . sewing . . . use of cosmetics . . . and in table service . . . the school maintains two practice houses in which all students are required to spend six weeks during their senior year.

## ... it's a science, girls learn





Left to Right: Top Row: O'Toole, Siegrist Albrecht Dr. Greenwood Kizziar, Cruzan Kite, Saville Maxwell, Pearson Second Row: Mauersberger Burgett, Steph Hutcherson Townsend Johnson, Yandell Ledbetter Bottom Row: Stone, Hix Newark, sponsor Barrick, Talbot Sullivan, Cade Janis

#### OMICRON NU . . .

Omicron Nu, honorary Home Economics fraternity, was founded in 1912 when the Alpha Chapter was organized at the Michigan State College. In 1920 Xi Chapter was installed on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus. The purpose of the organization is to recognize and promote scholarship, leadership, and research in the field of Home Economics. The members must be of junior or senior standing and are chosen on the basis of scholarship and leadership.

Outstanding activities were a tea for freshman girls, spring initiation and banquet in Oklahoma City with Psi Chapter of Oklahoma University and the Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter, and a scholarship award to a freshman girl.

Other activities for the year included a club weiner roast, the fall initiation and banquet, assisting with Homecoming activities, a Christmas basket, joint meeting with Alpha Zeta, a silver exhibit, and the spring picnic. In June delegates will be sent to the Fifteenth National Conclave at Michigan State College.

Officers for this year are: Mary Barrick, president; Eleanor Young, vice-president; Dorris Sullivan, secretary; Clara Hix, treasurer; Betty Plumer, editor;

and Christine Newark, sponsor.

Faculty members include: Gladys Bray, Blanche Cade, Clarise Chambers, Emma Chandler, Bess Elder, Mary Louise Greenwood, Brenda Gould, Lola H. Janis, Adaline Ledbetter, Virginia Messenger, Christine Newark, Agnes Parcher, Millie Pearson, Dorothy Saville, Gladys Stone, Nora A. Talbot, Girdie Ware.

Student members are: Mary Barrick, Esther Burgett, Elizabeth Catlett, Clara Cruzan, Clara Hix, Annette Hutcherson, Marjorie Johnson, Donnie Kite, Fleta Kizziar, Mildred Layman Maxwell, Betty Plumer, Elinore Siegrist, Dorris Sullivan, Helen Yandell, Eleanor Young.

Omicron Nu has completed a very successful year, having closely cooperated with the Home Economics Club in sponsoring an Ellen H. Richards Banquet, teas, and floats for the homecoming parade.

MARY BARRICK



Left to Right: Top Row: Lewis, Tinius Lisk, sponsor Phillips, Wulz Middle Row: Hyer, Mrs. Stone, sponsor Yandell, Terry Bottom Row: Cox, Cromwell Kezer



## HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The purposes of the Home Economics Club are: Participating actively in improving personal, home, and campus living, experiencing achievement, cooperating in group activities, promoting student-fellowship and student-faculty relationships, developing leadership ability, and enjoying recreation. The organization is open to all girls in the school of Home Economics who fulfill pledge responsibilities. The club is an active group having approximately two hundred members during the last school year.

A Chuck Wagon Supper held in September introduced freshmen and new students to the club.

The Ellen H. Richards Banquet in December was in honor of the founder of the American Home Economics Association. Dates were entertained in February with a formal Valentine Party.

"Americana, Spring, 1941" was the theme of the style show in February. A new precedent was set in that the show was one of a series of student lyceums.

May 1, Home Economics Day, brought the Senior Breakfast, and an evaluation of the accomplishments of the school. Earnings from the sale of Christmas cards brought on out-of-state speaker for the

day.

The club acted as hostess to other schools on the campus through two Hospitality Hours.

While the group held social meetings jointly, business meetings were divided into upper and lower divisions. The lower Freshman-Sophomore Division had Personal and Vocational Guidance as its theme, and the upper Junior-Senior Division centered attention on Professional Development.

The club was affiliated with the Future Homemakers of Oklahoma and the American Home Economics Association.

Officers of the club were: President, Helen Yandell; Vice-President, Frances Terry; Secretary, Lorene Wulz; Treasurer, Mildred Tinius; Chairman of the Lower Division, Wandalea Hughes; Secretary of the Lower Division, Marilynn Hamm; Sponsor, Mrs. Gladys Stone.

HELEN YANDELL





#### SCHILLER SCROGGS ... Dean

The aim of the School of Arts and Sciences as expressed in the words of Dean Schiller Scroggs, head of the division, is to "introduce its students to the most important general ideas in all of the basic fields of knowledge in pursuance of an approximation of the ideals of a general education in a liberal college."

The school was founded in 1896, the third to be created on the campus. In the process of its growth, the school has expanded its curriculum and administrative facilities until it occupies a vital niche in the framework of the institution.

The primary objective of the school in combination with the service function is to give the student a broad cultural background for future specialization.



## ... SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Principal facts, ideas, and ideals interwoven into the character of contemporary civilization and their significance in the manifestation of cultural, scientific, social, and esthetic activities present an elementary foundation for the arts and science student. Specialized upper division courses are offered in four groups: Biological Science, Physical Science and Mathematics, Social Studies, and Humanities. The Biological group is composed of Bacteriology, Physiology, Veterinary Science, Botany and Plant Pathology, and Zoology. Chemistry, Geology, Physics and Mathematics are components of the Physical Science group, while Art, English and Journalism, Foreign Langauges, Music, Speech and Physical Education are grouped under the Humanities division. Included in the Social Studies group are the Department of Economics and Sociology (in cooperation with the School of Commerce), and the Department of History and Political Science.

A connecting link between the specific vocational subjects offered by other schools of the college and the scientific and cultural courses, the School of Arts and Sciences offers the following degrees: Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Arts for majors in Social Studies or Humanities, and Music majors receive the degree Bachelor of Fine Arts.

# With test tube and pallett . . .



Dean Schiller Scroggs directs the extensive administrative activities and is the progressive leader of the School of Arts and Sciences.

The Department of Bacteriology under the direction of Dean of Men C. H. McElroy emphasizes a study of the functions of bacteria.

Clement E. Trout, Head of the Editorial and Publicity Department, directs journalistic and news service activities on the campus.

The Department of English, headed by Merrel D. Clubb, maintains a varied program of literary thought and action.

Correlation of History and human interest permeates the interesting course in the Department of History whose Head is T. H. Reynolds.

A. A. Arnold has been Head of the Foreign Language Department since 1926. He has taught German, Spanish, English, French and Latin.

The Department of Mathematics is headed by Ainsley H. Diamond who guides the theory and program associated with mathematical problems.

Builder of bands and composer of music, Bohumil Makovsky, "Our Boh," directs as Head of the extensive Department of Music.

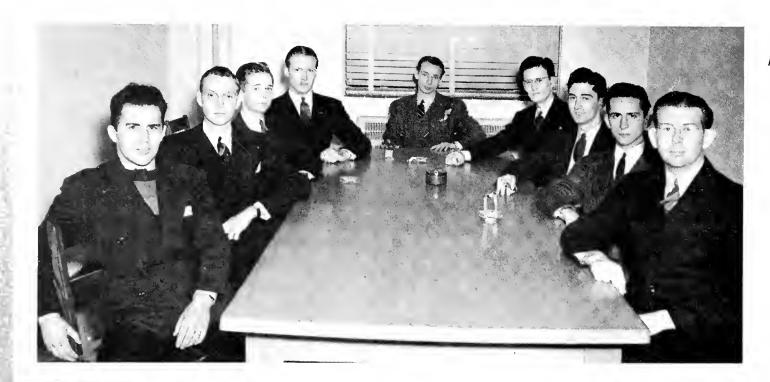
D. Terry Martin heads the Speech Department. As chairman of the Allied Arts Committee, he aids in bringing cultural programs to the student body.

Other department Heads are: Botany and Plant Pathology, K. S. Chester; Chemistry, O. M. Smith; Physical Education, J. J. Kevin; Physics, J. H. Cloud; and Zoology, R. O. Whitenton. An able faculty assists in classroom instruction and administration.

The art department is located on the fourth floor of Morrill Hall . . . it is up these four flights of stairs that the enterprising young artists tread to class . . . patience and long hours of hard work are two of the qualities necessary for the students of research . . . the stage crew listens to the various visiting famous lecturers appearing on the Allied Arts programs.

#### ... interesting tasks are accomplished





Left to Right:
Rogers, Krumme
Stratton, Park
Mayfield
Lawrence
Baxter, Porta
Wise

#### XI MU...

Xi Mu, honorary fraternity, was founded on the campus of Oklahoma A. and M. College in 1934 by John Reeves, George Reeves, and Roland Reeves, who sought to bring about a common band of the scattered pre-legal students.

Today there are five chapters. One at S. M. U., T. C. U., Washburn U. and Oklahoma U., and Oklahoma A. and M.

C. H. McElroy, Dean of Men, has been the honorary father judge of the organization since its founding on the A. and M. campus. Social life in Xi Mu includes several smokers, mock trials, and participation in the national and regional youth legislative assemblies. Constructive pointers were given to the members throughout the year at the regular meetings by faculty members and townsmen who are outstanding as teachers and lawyers.

Xi Mu went on record, during a legislative investigation for "Reds" in state institutions, as opposed to all forms of "isms" except Americanism, and pledged its assistance to the legislature in the search. Many heated debates occurred around the council table during the year concerning the timely topics of national

defense, as well as state and local legislation.

JOE MAYFIELD defense, as well as

Officers at the present time are: Bob Porta, president; George Krumme, vice-president; and Vivien Wise, secretary-treasurer. Joe Mayfield is judge of the fraternity, according to the practice of electing the retiring presidents to this post.

Xi Mu has been active in campus work since its founding, having been credited with starting the movement to change the name of this school to Oklahoma State two years ago, and participating whole heartedly in campus elections and activities.

New members are taken into the organization twice each year, at the beginning of each semester. To be eligible for membership the candidate must have completed 12 hours or more of pre-legal work with a grade average of 2.2.

The object of the pre-legal fraternity is to infuse harmony and promote fellowship among law students who have a common objective and to keep the pre-laws interested in the practical application of their profession.



Left to Right: Front Row: Dr. Hughes Murphy Jones Meyers Miller Orr Second Row: B. Thomas Rollins Hladky Horton M. Mason C. Thomas W. Mason Lancaster



## ...ALPHA PI MU

Alpha Pi Mu, honorary pre-medical fraternity, was established on the campus of Oklahoma A. and M. College in April, 1930. Since its installation the chapter has broadened greatly both in its membership and activities. In the achievement of its aims Alpha Pi Mu has been very successful. Its primary purposes are: 1. To promote an interest among the pre-med students of the campus for securing a thorough and comprehensive foundation in their pre-medical work before entering medical school. 2. Arouse the pre-med students to an appreciation of the responsibilities of a medical career so that only those who are worthy of these responsibilities will desire to continue. 3. Arrange a number of programs to be of interest and benefit to all pre-med students. 4. To act as host in bringing pre-med students in closer contact and coöperation with our own school as well as the medical schools into which we expect to enter.

These aims were transferred into the realm of reality this year by various means, including a series of informal lectures at meetings by members of our own faculty, picture shows of a medical nature given by medical fraternities, "guest

night" smokers for the benefit of all the A. and M. pre-meds, the annual trip to the Oklahoma University Medical School at Oklahoma City, the annual spring picnic, initiation banquets, and reports of medical interest at meetings by the members themselves. Some of the guest speakers this year were Prof. George White, Dr. O. C. Dermer, Dr. D. E. Howell, Dr. H. A. Shoemaker, and Dr. H. L. Puckett.

Several new members are initiated into the chapter each semester; this number in each case represents the upper one-fourth of the pre-medical enrollment. As a further inducement toward scholarship, Alpha Pi Mu annually gives an award to the Freshman pre-med student with the highest grade average.

The officers of Alpha Pi Mu this year are: Grant Murphy, president; Walter Mason, vice-president; Annice Walby, secretary-treasurer; Elinor Miller, reporter; Bill Thomas, pledge master; and Ed Staley, sergeant-at-arms.

GRANT MURPHY





Left to Right:
Top Row:
Chaney
Little
McKinsey
McManus
Newsome
Mason
Bottom Row:
Voelker
Holt
Gazaway
Kerby
Robins
Ficken

## SPEAKER'S CLUB...

Founded upon the idea of improving the speaking ability of its members, Speakers Club was originally made up of debaters and orators, and was known as the D. and O. Club. Early members realized the necessity of a broader scope and soon opened the doors of membership to all students interested in any of the many phases of speech work.

Now in 1941, the club stands as one of the most democratic organizations on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus. The membership shows actives from every residence hall, each sorority and fraternity house on the campus as well as from every class and every school including the graduate division.

All types of speech work including impromptu, extempore, debating, oratory, radio speaking, and after dinner speaking are taken up by the members and pledges. Parliamentary procedure is also studied by the pledges who, as their biggest achievement of the semester, give a banquet for the members just before initiation is held.

Membership recognition badges in the organization show a plain gold key

with Speakers Club slanting across it. The crest of black and gold shows the traditional speech emblem of a gavel, and crossed keys, signifying the democratic spirit of cooperation toward other organizations in which membership in Speakers Club crosses.

Thorton J. Smith was made an honorary member at the first semester pledge banquet, and Leo Newsome was taken in as an associate member at the same time.

Officers for the year were: Betty Joe Kerby, president; Walter Mason, first vice-president; Harvard Waken, second vice-president; Willie Gazaway, secretary-treasurer; and Bob McKinsey, pledge president.

BETTY JOE KERBY



Left to Right: Front Row: McGee, McBride Elliott, Lewis Newsome Angerer Ballinger Stewart, Robins Second Row: Cunningham Sawyer, Cook Patterson Baldwin Van Blarcum Sherman, Rooker Conger, Mitchell Tomkins Third Row: Pollock, Fowler Keith, Ledbetter Reed, Robinson McKinsey, Oare

Skillman McClung



## . . PLAYERS CLUB

The Players Club, organized to give college students an opportunity to take part in dramatic activities, is one of the most energetic organizations on the campus. To give practical experience, the club sponsors several top-notch productions each year in which members and apprentices gain valuable experience in the numerous phases of producing and directing one act and full length plays, dramatic readings, and pantomines. Among the many responsibilities of a production crew are costuming, make-up, scene designing, scene building, stage setting, lighting, publicity, and the varied techniques of acting. In this manner, members of the club, assisted by competent members of the speech faculty, can become familiar with as many angles of the profession as they desire. Apprentice-ship in the organization can be worked off by active participation in any kind of stage work.

The Players Club has sponsored several short plays during the past semester. This activity gives ample opportunity for the members and apprentices to take part in work "behind the scenes" and on the stage as well.

Leo Newsome is the very able president of this organization. Alden Anger is vice-president; Margie Hawkins, secretary-treasurer; and Jeanne Robins, publicity director. However, as in any other association, it takes more than hard working officers to keep the ball rolling; so Players Club has additional help. Among those who have been invaluable to the success of the organization are Boyd Steen, in charge of lighting; Virgil Hope, stage manager; and Don Smith, assistant stage manager. Stand-bys in the club to be commended for splendid cooperation are Florence Ellen Conger, Mary Sue Lewis, Sylvia Keith, and Evelyn Geiger.

At the present time the two plays in rehearsal are "Is Life Worth Living", directed by D. T. Martin, head of the speech department, and a one act play, "The Minuet", directed by Olive Hilles.

LEO NEWSOME





Bottom Row:
House, Barber,
Priboth, Winterringer
Plunkett, Mills
Hummell, Lunsford
Dunkelberger
Top Row:
Winget, Gouin, Doty
Holmes, Mitchell
Reeves, Thompson
Duncan, Gibson

## SIGMA ALPHA IOTA . . .

On May 27, 1938, Beta Beta Beta, honorary local musical organization became Iota Alpha chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota. S. A. I. is a national fraternity for professional and student women musicians. The fraternity was founded in 1903 at the University of Michigan, and at present there are seventy-two active chapters and approximately twelve thousands members. Kirsten Flagstad, Lily Pons, Lotte Lehmann, and Gladys Swarthout are among the outstanding artists who have become honorary members of the organization.

The object of the fraternity is to form bodies of representative women to uphold the highest ideals of a musical education. National projects include the maintenance of "Pan's Cottage" in the MacDowell Colony for Creative Artists, a loan fund for the use of members, annual awards to talented American composers, and the establishment of headquarters in larger cities.

The chapter supports the national objectives which include a definite yearly program of the highest type, participation in joint programs with sister chapters, and coöperation in raising musical standards on the campus.

GRACE WINTERRINGER



Local projects of Sigma Alpha Iota have been numerous this year. Seventy-five guests signed the guest book at the annual "Get-Acquainted Tea" given by the chapter for new women students in the music department. Sigma Alpha Iota and Kappa Kappa Psi, band fraternity, jointly sponsored a dance to raise money to furnish the lounge in the music department's new home, Crutchfield Hall. The two organizations also acted as hosts at a Homecoming reception; and S. A. I. members were kept busy for three days in November while they underwent national inspection. The members of S. A. I. hold responsible positions in Choral Club, Symphonic Band, Girls' Glee Club, Symphonic Choir, and the Symphonic Orchestra.

The year will conclude with the "Oklahoma Composers' Program," initiation, senior recitals, Honors Day, and senior farewell.

Left to Right:
Front Row:
Black, Echols
Baldwin
Second Row:
Hix, Gleason
Chauncey
Mershon, Robson
Third Row:
Wainwright
Moore, Kimbell
Edwards, Kyger
Scruggins
Williams, Houck



## .. CHI DELTA PHI

Students who make up the membership of Chi Delta Phi, national honorary literary sorority, are those girls who have shown themselves to be of superior intellectual caliber and to have creative literary abilities. The blue star in a circle of pearls is worn on Oklahoma A. and M. campus by about twenty-five girls who believe that the fullest and richest lives are those which are based on a liberal education and which include creative participation in some artistic field. These women attempt to raise the standards of productive literary work among the women students in the colleges and universities.

Chi Delta Phi's program for this year has, therefore, included not only cooperative writing and reading, but also attendance at an art exhibit where Doel Reed lectured on the art of printmaking. Chi Delta Phi members also attended the Chekov Theatre production of "Twelfth Night"; and one regular meeting was devoted to Mendelssohn's incidental music to "A Midsummer Night's Dream," with reading from the play by Dr. M. D. Clubb. The group also plans to sponsor entertainment for the appearance of Robert Frost on the campus.

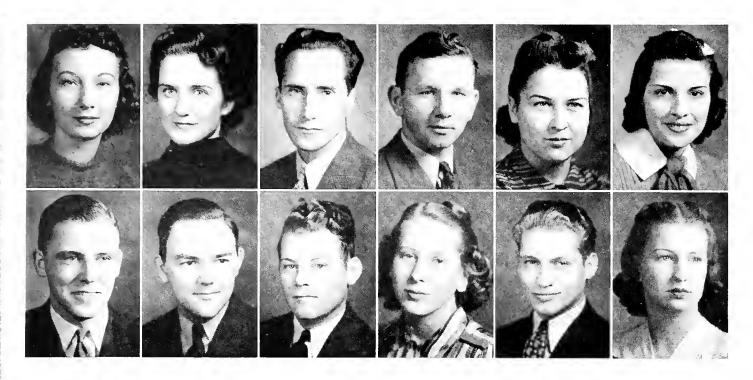
Chi Delta Phi sponsors an annual literary contest of three divisions including poetry, essay, and short story, and offers a book prize to the winner of each division. A yearly award is also given on Honors Day to the girl with an English major who makes the highest grades in English for her entire college career.

Mrs. Cassie H. Hock and Miss Mable Caldwell are Chi Delta Phi's sponsors. The officers who led this year's group are: Betty Marie Chauncey, president; Norma Gleason, vicepresident; Laura Robinson, secretary; and Nancy Echols, treasurer.

The purpose of Chi Delta Phi's installation on the Oklahoma A. and M. College Campus was to form bodies of representative women who shall, by their influence and literary interest, uphold the highest ideals of a liberal education.

BETTY MARIE CHAUNCEY





Left to Right:
Top Row:
Dorothy Arnold
Mary Bonar
Ray Crowley
Eldon Downs
Lydea Herron
Harrett Kramer
Second Row:
Walter Mason
Leo Newsome
Franz Logan
Jane Schnider
Geo. Stewart
Betty Webber

## ARTS & SCIENCES COUNCIL..

The Arts and Sciences Student Council was formed in the spring of 1938 through the efforts of Dean Schiller Scroggs when a need was seen for a means of bringing together student and faculty thought and effort in the Arts and Sciences school.

This year's effort has been in carrying out the organization's purposes, the working out of faculty-students relationships, and the promotion of the A. and S. school as well as furthering the interests of the entire college. The council now has a stated purpose and a definite goal to achieve.

The council's most active month was February, and the program included the direction of the annual Arts and Sciences Day. Early in the month the representatives and heads of their departments met for a luncheon. Informality was the theme of this meeting with Dean Scroggs as master of ceremonies; plans were discussed, and it was decided to declare a one-day holiday. This year the council sought to plan a program that would interest the entire college as well as the arts and science students.

RAY CROWLEY



The all-school event was presented February 28. The day's activities opened with a convocation which included a speech, one-act play, and music by the Little Symphony Orchestra. Interesting departmental exhibits were viewed during the afternoon, and in the evening the council sponsored a dance for A. and S. students.

Outstanding student majors in each department of the school make up the council and work with the advisorship of Dean Scroggs and department heads. Active in the 1940-41 council were representatives from the departments of physical education, physics, biology, chemistry, speech, journalism, psychology, botany, art, English, music, foreign language, zoology, mathematics, and history. Ray Crowley is the retiring president, and Dorothea Arnold was selected as the guiding force for the coming year.

### RAYMOND D. THOMAS . . . Dean

Business today demands expert and scientifically trained men and women possessed with the trait of leadership which will eventually enable them to occupy positions in the broad and extensive field of commerce. Realizing the high employee standards of the modern business man, increasing numbers of young men and young women are entering college with the thought of securing professional training in preparation for a career in business and public service.

The Division of Commerce is now composed of the following six departments: Accounting, Business Administration, Business Education, Economics, Secretarial Administration, and Sociology; and the School of Vocational Business Training.



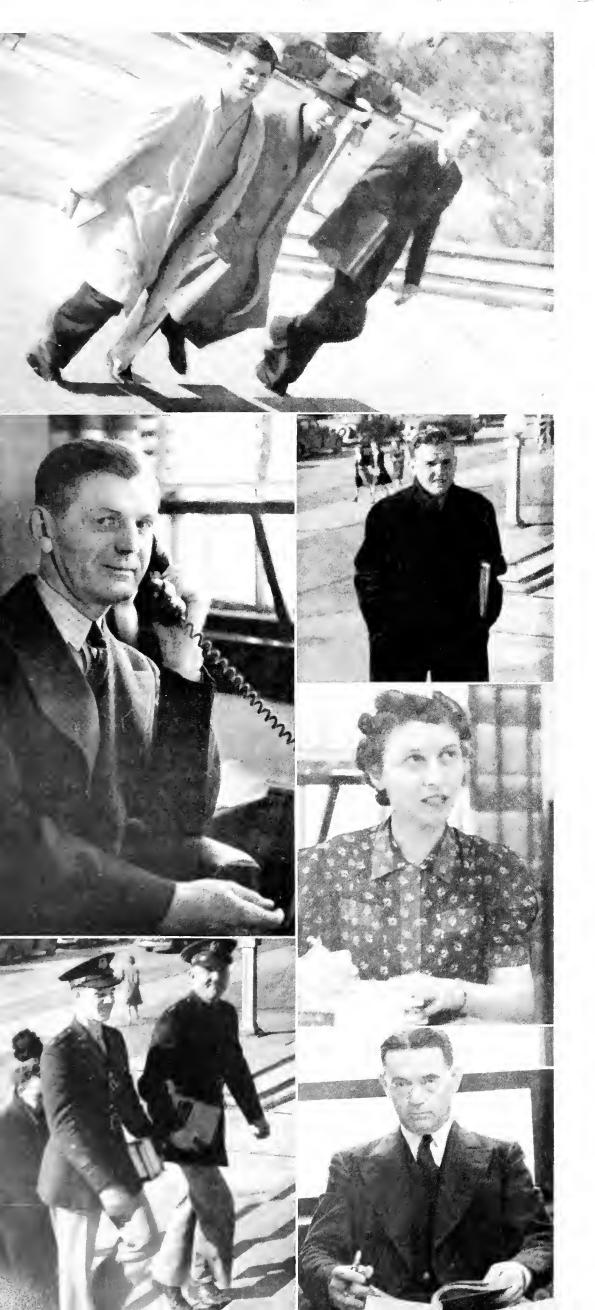
# ... SCHOOL OF COMMERCE

Each year students go forth from the portals of Morrill Hall, which holds the administrative offices of the School of Commerce, trained and equipped to fill positions in the world of business. Courses are arranged to prepare students for many types of employment. Positions as accountants, bankers or finance officers, instructors in public schools, proponents of economic theory and practice, authorities of geographic problems, life insurance and general insurance salesmen, advertising agents, administrators, office secretaries or secretarial instructors, and instructors of sociological problems are a number of the opportunities offered to students who enroll in the curriculum of the school.

The degree Bachelor of Science is awarded upon completion of required work in the fields of Accounting, Banking and Finance, Business Education, Economics, General Business, Geography, Life Insurance, Marketing, Public Administration, Secretarial Administration, and Sociology.

The School of Vocational Business Training offers courses for students who are interested in neither college credits nor in a degree, but who desire specific vocational training designed to prepare for the various types of routine and less responsible jobs with business firms and public agencies.

## With modern machines . . .



Alertness, sincerity, and progressiveness characterizes the faculty of the School of Commerce in their attitude toward scholarship and professional actions. Continuous contacts are maintained by the faculty with actual business and public relations.

Dean of Commerce, Raymond D. Thomas, came from the University of Wisconsin in 1929 to take charge of the administrative duties of the School. Recognized as a foremost authority of practical taxation and economic problems, Dean Thomas has fostered the progress and efficiency of the school during twelve years of practical planning and ceaseless effort.

Dynamic Head of the Accounting Department is Professor B. F. Harrison who directs the study of accounting principles and practice.

Dr. Fred E. Jewett, embryonic businessman builder, as Head of the Department of Business Administration guides the progressive activities of the various courses of study.

Study and application of commercial principles are presented to students in the Department of Business Education whose Head is Professor J. A. Holley.

Economics, commercial journalism, public administration, and social service are fields in the Department of Economics of which Professor Z. B. Wallin is Head.

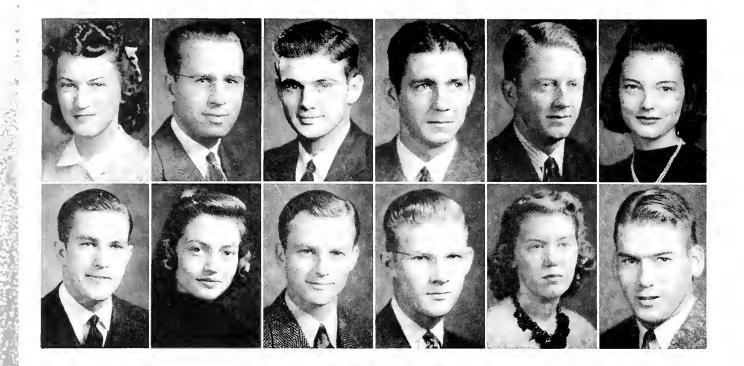
Professor W. Rude, Head of the Department of Secretarial Administration, has been a commercial instructor at A. and M. for twenty-five years.

J. F. Page is Professor in the Department of Sociology.

"Tubby" Peyton, Jack Colbert and Dee Ashenhurst coming up the steps of Morrill Hall... Dean Thomas always has a friendly smile... Bob Jones frowns over the problems of a graduate student... Joe Styger and Willard Holderby are not only outstanding students in commerce but also future generals.

# ... Business methods improve





Left to Right:

Top Row:
Bobo, Bowling
Clark, Clemens
Covelle, Crossman

Bottom Row:
Dwyer, Falkenberg
Fulton, Hardesty
Heilman, Holderman

## COMMERCE COUNCIL . . .

The Commerce Student Council had its inception a number of years ago in a more or less unofficial body known as the Dean's Student Advisory Council, whose purpose was simply to help the administration deal with student problems by providing a background of student opinion. In 1937, this group was reorganized along broader lines. While retaining its advisory function, it now sponsors a number of projects for the advancement of the whole School of Commerce in many different ways. The council is now composed of about thirty-five students chosen by a joint committee of its members and representatives of the faculty. An attempt is made in the selection of members to obtain as good a cross-section of the commerce student body as possible, representatives being chosen from all dormitories, fraternities, sororities, and from out in town, so that all classes of students are included in this common effort to improve the School of Commerce.

Under the leadership of Carl Blackwell, president, F. L. Holton, vice-president, and Lois Falkenberg, secretary-treasurer, with Dean Raymond D. Thomas as sponsor and Mr. E. C. Burris as faculty advisor, the council has continued this

year its efforts to advance the School of Commerce.

CARL BLACKWELL



Chief among its projects is the annual Commerce Day. This event, while intended primarily as an educational experience, has also its recreational aspects, and stands as a sort of celebration of the year's achievement. All Commerce students are excused from classes during the day to participate in the program. This begins in the morning with a commerce convocation, highlight of which is an address by an important visiting business man. The remainder of the morning and the early part of the afternoon are devoted to sectional conferences of various vocational groups. The social features of the day include a luncheon for the visiting speakers at noon and in the evening, the annual Commerce Ball, at which the First Lady of Commerce is crowned. This event, from an inauspicious beginning in 1939, has grown to be one of the outstanding features of the year's activities.

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Top Row:
Holton, Jonas
Lobingier, McCulloch
McGee, Mason
Bottom Row:
Pickens, Ruziska
Sheffal, Tarr
Vance, West



## COMMERCE STUDENT GROUP

This year has seen the revival, at the initiative of the Commerce Student Council, of the Commerce Journal, formerly an annual publication of the School, but which had been discontinued. Under the leadership of the council, all commerce organizations have united in a cooperative effort to once more present this publication of general interest to commerce students and alumni.

Much of the attention of the council this year has been devoted to an attempt to acquire a general meeting room for the use of all commerce organizations. Support of the administration has been obtained, and it is assured that a room will be set aside this spring for use of organizations, as well as for use as a general lounging room. The council has not tried to bear the expense of furnishing this room by itself, but through a hard-working committee has successfully solicited the support of the groups who will directly benefit from the maintenance of such a meeting place.

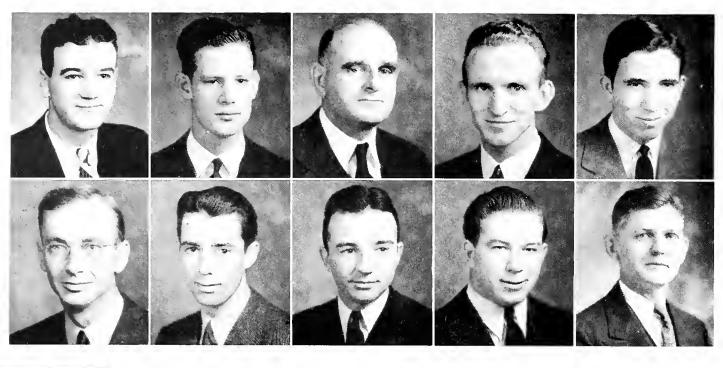
Not to be overlooked in the list of more concrete activities of the Commerce Student Council is its traditional function of reflecting student opinion and criticizing the administration from the student's viewpoint.

At every meeting a considerable period is devoted to complaints about the conduct of classes, of examinations, of library facilities, in short, of any and everything which operates to the inconvenience of commerce students. Dean Thomas likes to bring questions of administration which directly concern the students before this group for discussion which is almost always revealing and frequently disconcertingly frank. The council may find some satisfaction in the number of little improvements, both in methods of accomplishing certain routine affairs, and in the repairing of many inconveniences of equipment in laboratories, which its suggestions have been instrumental in bringing about.

Members of the Commerce Student Council are the outstanding students in the School of Commerce. Besides being leaders in the organization, they are also outstanding in other fields of college life.

LOIS FALKENBURG





Left to Right:
Top Row:
E. C. Burris
Willard Holderby
Dr. Fred E. Jewett
Clarence Linden
Hubert Mills
Second Row:
P. C. Nahl
Enoch Needham
Raymond Renfro
Eugene Sweringer
Dean Thomas

### GAMMA SIGMA . . .

Gamma Sigma is completing its eighth year of very useful service to the School of Commerce. Its aim is to promote high scholarship among students of business, to recognize such scholarship when once achieved by junior and senior men, and to bring about a closer friendship among these men and between them and the faculty members of the organization. Organized in the spring of 1934 by ten students who saw the need for such service, it has the further purpose of becoming affiliated with Beta Gamma Sigma, national honorary commerce fraternity. This affiliation would constitute a significant recognition of the merits of our college, and would greatly increase our prestige in business circles.

Membership in Gamma Sigma is based purely upon scholarship. The upper ten percent of the senior class and the upper five percent of the junior class are eligible. The program of this group in its dinner meetings is somewhat unique in that, as a matter of policy, no formal speeches are ever arranged. This does not mean, however, that the dinners are not thoroughly valuable experience for the members, over and above the fellowship which arises from such informality.

CARL BLACKWELL

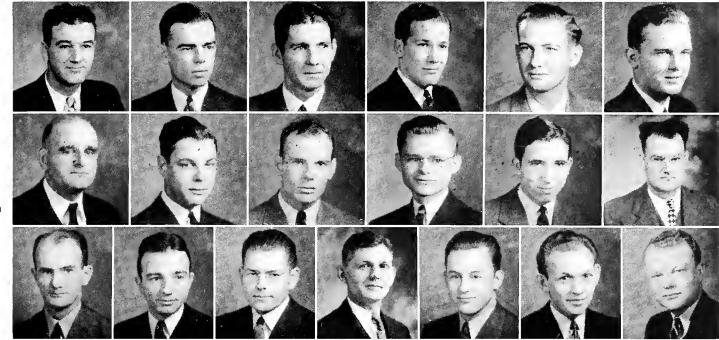


With six favorite commerce professors included in the membership, open forum discussions of business and academic problems are frequently much more interesting and informative than they could be from the speaker's chair. The members are afforded the opportunity to exchange their ideas by this method of discussion.

Although intended primarily to encourage and recognize high scholarship among upper-classmen, Gamma Sigma does not overlook the necessity for the same sort of service to lower division students. In accord with this idea, the fraternity keeps a plaque in the Dean's office on which each year is inscribed the name of the sophomore in the School of Commerce having the highest cumulative grade average for his first two years of work here.

Officers of Gamma Sigma for 1940-1941 have been: President, Carl Blackwell; Vice-president, Bob Jones; and Secretary-treasurer, Willard Holderby.

Left to Right: Top Row: E. C. Burris Tom Carson Ed Clemens Geo. Demas Laird Ingham Bob Jones Second Row: Fred Jewett Virgil Kile Stanton Mains Richard Mason Hubert Mills Chester McCammon Third Row: Leo McGeehon Raymond Renfro Gordon Ross Dean Thomas Jack Vandergrift James Yadon Wm. R. Matthies



#### ...BETA ALPHA PSI

Beta Alpha Psi, the National Accounting Fraternity, was founded at the University of Illinois, February 12, 1919. Since that time, Beta Alpha Psi has spread to outstanding schools of commerce from California to New York. Beta Alpha, a local accounting fraternity, was founded March 17, 1938. The fraternity made application to Beta Alpha Psi and was accepted and installed as Chi Chapter on May 17, 1939, by Mr. C. Aubrey Smith, Professor of Accounting, University of Texas.

The purpose of the organization is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as the basis of the accounting profession; to promote the study of accountancy and its highest ethical standards; to act as a medium between professional men, instructors, students and others who are interested in the development of the study or the profession of accountancy; to develop high moral, scholastic, and professional attainments in its members; and to encourage cordial relations among its members and the profession generally. Meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month.

Membership is restricted to students in the School of Commerce who have completed not less than 12 semester hours of college work in accounting with a grade point average of 3.0 in all accounting subjects; whose general average in all subjects is not less than 2.5, and who manifests an interest in the continued study of accounting or preparation for the profession of accountancy.

The fraternity has begun the practice of holding the business meetings in different fraternity houses. At the dinner meetings, outstanding accountants in the state are asked to speak. Some of the speakers for 1940-41 have been: Mr. Roy F. Godfrey, of Warner and Godfrey, Tulsa; Mr. Norman C. Cross, Secretary-Treasurer of the Superior Oil Company of Tulsa and President of the Petroleum Accountants Society. Mr. Godfrey was initiated as an honorary member.

JACK VANDEGRIFT





Left to Right:
Front Row:
Blubaugh, Luthi
Heilman, Jonas
Smith, Henderson
Second Row:
Schollenbarger
Norris
McCollough
Lewis, Hardin
Abrams
Brookhart

## EPSILON PI...

Epsilon Pi is the local honorary fraternity for women in the School of Commerce, and was founded by eleven charter members in 1936. Eligibility for membership is based on scholarship, leadership, efficiency, and service. A grade point average of 3.0 in at least sixty credit hours, thirty of which must have been taken in the School of Commerce, is required for membership.

The organization, under the leadership of Miss J. Frances Henderson, gives recognition for merit and service in the School of Commerce. Candidates are selected each fall and spring from the junior and senior classes. In order that Epsilon Pi might further promote scholarship, a ten dollar award is given each spring to the woman in commerce who has the highest grade average for the first three semesters' work.

The objectives of this group are based upon the establishment of closer relationships among women preparing for careers in the commercial world, the development of the qualities of scholarship and efficiency, and the recognition of such qualities.

BETTY JONAS



The chief social event of the year is a tea given each spring for all of the women enrolled in the School of Commerce, and for the faculty members of Oklahoma A. and M. College.

Officers elected for the school year 1940-41 are: President, Betty Jonas; Vice-President, Loretta Abraham; Secretary-Treasurer, Lina Lee Lewis; Reporter, Adah Pauline Smith; and Historian, Florence Hardin. Other members in the organization are: Margaret Abrams, Maxie Blubaugh, Donna Brookhart, Betty Ruth Heilman, Helen Marie Luthi, Lucille McCollough, Elouise Norris, Erwina Schollenbarger, and Verna Mae Willoughby. Epsilon Pi also appoints committees for the purpose of checking membership requirements, the promotion of social activities, and the encouragement of projects such as the annual Commerce Day.

Left to Right: Front Row: McGlamery Goodman D. McGlamery Kaboth, Mason Hardesty Lobingier Clemens Second Row: Kelly, Lamb Jones, H. Waken Roberts Lawerence Tidwell Third Row: Holderman Wilkins, Rhode Carson, Stett C. Waken, Frank Fourth Row: Sheffell, Moore Kennedy, Lunger Benbrook Vandergrift



## ..ALPHA KAPPA PSI

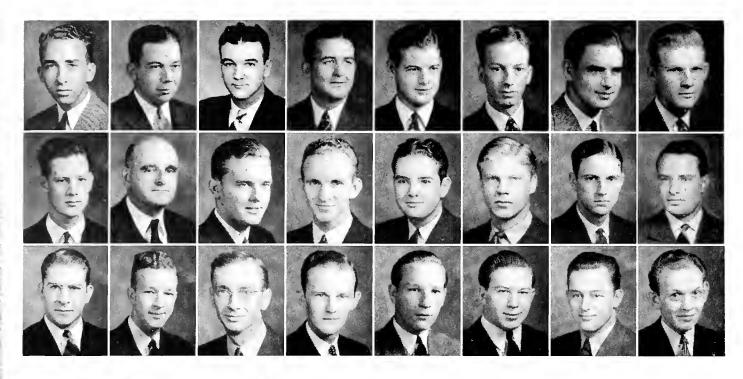
Tau Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi was granted a charter by the national office of this commercial professional fraternity on April 19, 1920. Since that date Alpha Kappa Psi has been recognized as an important part of the School of Commerce of Oklahoma A. and M. College, and has continued to promote professional activities that bring its members in contact with concrete problems of the business world. Down through the twenty-one years of its existence Tau Chapter has seen several hundred of its members leave the portals of Morrill Hall to take their places as salesmen, accountants, managers, brokers, professors and countless positions in the varied lines of business. Nor has Tau Chapter been alone in aiding in the training of young business men, for Alpha Kappa Psi has active chapters in forty-six universities and colleges in the United States. High lights of the year's activities for Tau Chapter were monthly dinner meetings with such speakers as Paul C. Wise, Cashier of the Stillwater National Bank, Robert Donaldson, discussion group composed of Dean Raymond D. Thomas, Prof. M. M. Blair and Prof. E. C. Burris, a professional trip to Dallas, Texas, in April, and exchange meetings with the Junior C. of C. of Stillwater.

Prominent local alumni of Alpha Kappa Psi are: Dean Raymond D. Thomas, M. M. Blair, Z. B. Wallin, Paul J. Graber, O. J. Merrell, M. Fred Tidwell, J. L. Sanderson, Earle C. Albright, Robert Donaldson and Howard George.

Officers and members are: Dean McGlamery, President; Jack Lobingier, Vice-President; Jack Vandergrift, Secretary; Richard Mason, Treasurer; Don McGlamery, Master of Rituals; Kenneth Ricker, Reporter; John Jones, Warden; Dale Hardesty, Historian; Ed Clemens, Chairman of Professional Committee; Carl Blackwell, Tom Carson, Earl Lamb, Bob Roberts, Dan Lawrence, Charles Scheffel, Paul Brown, Don Frank, Lionel Scott, Jack Kaboth, Charles Waken, Harvard Waken, Elmo Moore, Arlie Bowling, Bob Kelly, Fred Wilkin, Douglas Benbrook, Woodrow Merry, Ken Holderman, Jack Kirby, Lloyd Lunger, and Carter Rhode. Pledges are: Clinton Goodman, Arthur Kennedy, and Glenn Loewen.

DEAN McGLAMERY





Left to Right: Top Row: Ashenhurst Bryan, Burris Cowne Cunningham Dixon, Geren Hardesty Second Row: Holderby, Jewett Jones, Linden Lobinger Loewen, Lunger McGlamery Bottom Row: Merry, Moscoe Nahl, Stanley Streetman Swearingen Vandegrift Yadon

#### MU KAPPA TAU...

Mu Kappa Tau, professional marketing fraternity, was founded in Oklahoma A. and M. campus during the year 1938-1939. It is essentially a service organization giving students interested in the field of marketing an opportunity to meet and discuss together current topics relative to their chosen vocations.

Among its many activities the function of bringing outstanding speakers to the campus predominates. The members take an important part in planning the Commerce Day functions, inviting to the campus well known business men of the state to confer with students interested in entering business.

Membership in Mu Kappa Tau is limited to those students who are either marketing majors or minors. Selection of eligible candidates is based on scholastic standing and interest in marketing as a career after graduation. Dinner and smoker meetings give the members an opportunity to meet and analyze current problems in the marketing field.

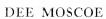
Through the helpful guidance of their sponsor, Mr. Perham C. Nahl, the organization has conducted numerous student opinion polls, many of which have

been recognized throughout the state and Southwest.

Members have actively engaged in marketing research in Oklahoma, and some of the publications have received national and even international attention. Last year Mu Kappa Tau sponsored a survey of student buying habits of the students of Oklahoma A. and M. College. This survey proved to be of

interest to the businessmen of Stillwater and disclosed some interesting facts. The pledges conducted a student opinion poll of the Presidential election between Roosevelt and Willkie.

The first semester was under the guidance of Dee Moscoe, president; Joe Styger, vice-president; Don McGlamery, secretary; and Dick Stanley, treasurer.





Left to Right: Front Row: Williams, Davis Smith, Rude Bobo, Crow Crossman Second Row: Tusker, Harmor Lewis, Johnson Schroeder, Hardin Henderson Turner, Brown Robinson Back Row: Vincent, Brazil Flickinger Durrett, Colvin Gilstrap Goodwin Harrison Mayfield



## .. SIGMA ALPHA SIGMA

Last Spring, Professor Willard Rude, head of the Secretarial Administration Department, saw years of planning fulfilled when a national secretarial science fraternity was founded at Oklahoma A. and M. College. Sigma Alpha Sigma was granted a charter by the Oklahoma Secretary of State on May 28, 1940.

The ultimate goal of Sigma Alpha Sigma is to foster a closer relationship between the secretary and the professional world. The fraternity will seek recognition among employers so that the individual members have status in seeking initial employment or advancement.

The official pin of the new fraternity is a golden wreath of olive leaves, with an "A" raised in the center, which is pierced with a pearled arrow. The whole is surmounted by a pair of small golden wings. The flower is the Talisman rose, and the colors are turquoise blue and coral.

Membership requirements are at least 15 hours in Secretarial Administration with not less than a "B" average and a good average in all hours.

As there was need for professionalizing the status of the college-trained secretary, not only from the standpoint of educating the business man, but to establish academic standards and status in collegiate institutions, the advantages of a national secretarial administration fraternity were soon recognized by universities throughout the United States. Beta Chapter was installed in May, 1940 at Tulsa University, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Other universities are being considered for application of membership and several are expected to be installed this spring.

Activities of Sigma Alpha Sigma are the sponsoring of secretarial contests during interscholastic contests during interscholastic meets, participation in Commerce day, a spring picnic, and a homecoming breakfast for returning alumni.

Officers of Sigma Alpha Sigma are: Ruth Bobo, president; Ada Pauline Smith, 1st vice-president; Betty Brown, 2nd vicepresident; Lethamaye Crossman, secretary; Dorothy Crow, recording secretary; Edna Lee Davis, historian; W. Rude and Ruth Williams, sponsors.

RUTH BOBO





Betty Ruth Heilman Murray Hall

Commerce Queen

#### N. CONGER ... Dean

Education represents a major safeguard for the maintenance and perpetuation of democratic government. The realization exists today that the permanence and strength of all our democratic institutions depends upon an educated citizenry.

The School of education was established at Oklahoma A. and M. under the provisions of the Morrill Act in 1913. Under the stipulations of the Act, students are to be trained in the profession of teaching and proper educational procedures.

Services of the School are not limited to student courses, but through its research activities it extends its services to the entire state and nation. Members of the faculty participate in programs designed to promote the public educational interests.



## ... SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

In addition to training teachers to disseminate technical knowledge in the capacity of professors and instructors, the function of the School of Education is to prepare superintendents, principals, supervisors and teachers for the public schools of Oklahoma; and to enlarge the appreciation of the public school system in the advancement of the highest purposes and ideals of humanity.

The School offers in its division of courses studies in Psychology and Philosophy, Secondary Education, Elementary Education, and Educational Administration which lead to the degree of Master of Science or Bachelor of Science, and to the various state teaching certificates.

Aside from the definite department divisions, the School of Education is fundamentally separated into the Secondary Education division and the Elementary Education division. The purpose of the former division is to train students as high school instructors, whereas the latter division represents the training of teachers for elementary instruction in public schools. Practice teaching is carried on by students under conditions approximating actual school conditions in various local school systems.

Old Central's towering pinnacle casts the inspiration of its time-honored shadow outside the windows of the administration offices in Morrill Hall.

## Jeachers have lab work . . .



The faculty of the School of Education is well-trained and active in serving the educational needs of Oklahoma in many respects in addition to carrying on their regular teaching duties.

Head of the School in administrative activities is Dean Napoleon Conger. He is the recipient of the following degrees: LL. B. degree from Cumberland University, B. S. degree from Ohio University, and M. A. and Ph. D. degrees from Columbia University. The eminent educator has rendered valuable service in the state educational system.

Supervision of the training apprenticeship of students preparing to teach in secondary schools is the work of M. R. Chauncey who devotes a portion of his time to research on educational tests.

Instructor of Philosophy, W. H. Echols, directs stimulating subject discussions and is a well-known figure both on the campus and in the educational field.

As professor of Secondary Education, C. L. Kezer promotes the training of teachers for high schools and boosts the effective educational program of the school.

J. C. Muerman, instructor of Educational Administration, promotes courses of study in Rural and Visual Education.

As professor of Educational Psychology, S. L. Reed has made notable contributions in the field of research and experimentation.

Other faculty members in the School of Education include: Ben C. Dyess, Vera Jones, Guy A. Lackey, Kathryn M. Long, Haskell Pruett, J. O. Payne, M. G. Rigg, E. S. Robinson, and E. L. Stromberg.

The offices of the School of Education are located in Morrill Hall . . . pictured at his desk is Professor S. L. Reed . . . a scene of the industrious students cramming in the Education Library . . . Professor Lackey pauses from his readings . . . one of the education classes proves the theory that over one-half of the enrollment of this school is feminine.

#### ... to prove their methods



The school of Education attracts many comely lasses for Oklahoma's future "school marms" . . . Ray Crowley directs a physical education class in swimming . . . an education professor poses with his secretary at the cameraman's request . . . Professor Stromberg lectures to an advanced psychology class . . . Martha Belle Hadden, Freshman Queen, is astonished by the photographer's flash bulb . . . Professors Dyess thoughtfully lectures to a class in advance education theory.





Left to Right: Front Row: Ford, Farrar Spangler, Echols Dr. Echols Walsh B. Chauncy, Jones McReynolds Second Row: Luthi, Rammp Mr. Payne Dr. Chauncy Downing, Morris Krisher, Miller Third Row: Miss Long Seifert, Estill Thomas, Sloan N. Fox, Tompkins

## KAPPA DELTA PI...

Kappa Delta Pi, an Honor Society in Education, was first incorporated as an honorary education fraternity at the University of Illinois on June 8, 1911. There are at present one hundred twenty-five chapters in the colleges and universities of the United States, with a membership of nearly 50,000 men and women.

The purpose of Kappa Delta Pi is to promote high intellectual and scholastic standards in the field of teacher education, and to recognize outstanding contributions to education. It endeavors to maintain a high degree of professional growth by honoring achievement in educational work. It numbers among its membership the outstanding men and women in the teaching profession of the United States.

Lambda Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi was installed at the Oklahoma A. and M. College on April 16, 1921. It elects its membership from the junior, senior, and graduate classes of Oklahoma A. and M. College who rank in the highest twenty-five per cent in scholarship.

Kappa Delta Pi standards are high. Not only must a student have a high scholastic ranking, but he must possess high qualities of character, personality, and

leadership. Eligible students must have completed or have in process of completion at least twelve semester hours of professional courses in Education; and they must plan to engage in the teaching profession.

Lambda Chapter holds about eight professional and social meetings each year. The officers of Lambda Chapter for the current school year are: Irene Walsh, president; Earl Spangler, vice-president; Wylma Black, secretary; W. H. Echols, treasurer; C. L. Kezer, historian; C. R. Pruitt, chairman of the program committee; and Guy A. Lackey, counselor.

MRS. J. R. WALSH



Fourth Row: Griffith, Fuller, Dougherty, Holley, Wallen, Dyess, Hinrich, Dean Conger, Dr. C. Pruitt, Mr. Robinson, Cox, Casey

Left to Right:

Front Row:
Heilman, Luthi
Mershon, Ricker
Hardin, Abraham
Hamilton
Second Row:
Davis, Durrett
Stegall, Ruzicka
Dennis, Brookhart
Top Row:
Tidwell, Rude
Holley
Henderson
Hemphill



## .. PI OMEGA PI

Pi Omega Pi, national honorary and professional business education fraternity, organized the Alpha Eta Chapter at Oklahoma A. and M. College May 5, 1938, under the leadership of Miss J. Frances Henderson, at that time National Organizer of the fraternity.

The four main objectives of the fraternity are: "To encourage, promote, extend and create interest and scholarship in Commerce; to aid in civic betterment in colleges; to encourage and foster high ethical standards in business and professional life; and to teach the ideal of service as the basis of all worthy enterprise."

Pi Omega Pi not only stimulates scholastic achievement, but it also renders the service of friendship. Closer relationships between the faculty, the business educators, and the students in business education are developed.

Each Spring the fraternity presents an award to the most promising graduating senior in the Department of Business Education. The honor student is chosen by the group which bases its decision upon scholarship, leadership, service to the organization, and professional attitude.

Miss Ray Abrams, Principal of the Joseph A. Maybin School for Graduates, New Orleans, became an honorary member of the local chapter when she was on our campus in February. Miss Abrams is nationally known for her work in business education.

This organization has truly been a successful one, and will continue to fill a great need in the Commercial Teaching department of the school of commerce in years to come. Through this fraternity, students have been afforded recognition for honors received in their field, and have been provided with further knowledge of the modern trends in education.

Officers are: Kenneth Ricker, president; Florence Hardin, vice-president; Aileen Stegall, secretary-treasurer; Willedra Mershon, reporter; and Helen Luthi, historian.

KENNETH RICKER





Left to Right:
Front Row:
Colvin, Robinson
Cupp, Tompkins
Blair
Second Row:
Minor, Crable
Spangler, Darrow
Conger

## EDUCATION COUNCIL...

For several years some of the more far-sighted faculty members and students in the School of Education have recognized the need for a closer organization among the students within the school. For this purpose, a constitution was drafted this fall by a student committee and was submitted to the students in the Education School for acceptance or rejection. With the unanimous approval of this constitution the machinery was set in motion for the election and organization of an Education Council. The Council as provided for was to be composed of three representatives from each of the upper classes in the school of Education and two representatives from the freshman class. For freshman representatives a revolving membership was chosen, two different students to serve each month. Anne Orr and Russell Drumwright have acted as the freshman representatives to date. Education Senator, Florence Ellen Conger, is ex-officio member, and two faculty advisers have been chosen, Miss Vera Jones and Mr. Frank Fuller. At the first meeting of the second semester, these officers were elected: President, Florence Ellen Conger; vice-president, Carol Colvin; secretary, Rose Mary Tompkins.

GENE SMELSER



The Education Council has undertaken three projects for this year: a service program, Education Day, and a school of speakers who addressed the students on such subjects as "Extra-Curricular Activities in Public Schools" and "Oklahoma School Law." Education Day was on April 24, when a convocation, picnic, and crowning of a Streamlined School Marm took place. All these activities were under the auspices of the Education Council. The third undertaking was the award presented on Honors Day to the two students most valuable to the School of Education. This award was made to the two highest ranking seniors, as judged by a committee of faculty members, on the basis of leadership, scholarship, and personality. The names of the two winners are engraved on a plaque in the Education Office.

#### D. C. MCINTOSH ... Dean

Courses for the Master's degree were first offered at Oklahoma A. and M. in 1910, but not until 1929 was the Graduate School organized with the advancement of knowledge through research, the training of students for the teaching profession, and the training of student leadership in particular fields as its principal objectives.

The Graduate School emphasizes the development of individual thought, scientific research methods, and practical instructional attitudes in its educational program which is designed to serve the post-collegiate needs of men and women who desire a broad understanding of modern scholarship and scientific research. It is an assembling plant of knowledge.

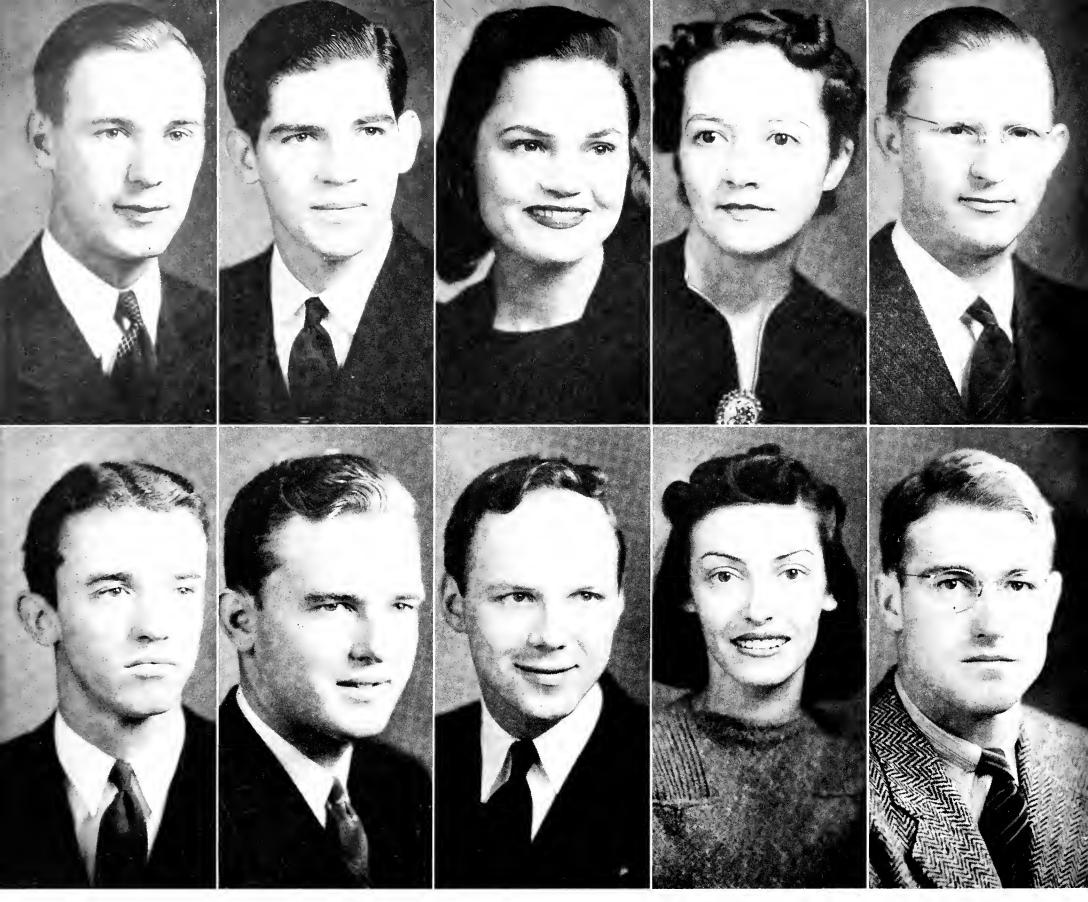


## . . GRADUATE SCHOOL

Various departments of the college offer graduate courses during the fall, spring, and summer school sessions. Courses are arranged in a sequence that enables students to complete requirements for the master's degree by attending the summer sessions only.

Admission to the Graduate School is based on satisfactory undergraduate records, potential ability, and the bachelor's degree offered by Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College or its equivalent from another institution. Any student who holds a bachelor's degree and who does not wish to become a candidate for a higher degree or another bachelor's degree may enroll in courses in which he has had adequate preparation for special work. Those students who are interested in advanced work in the teaching fields are permitted to pursue a plan of graduate study based on major and minor department requirements as special students.

The Master of Arts degree and the Master of Science degree are conferred on candidates who complete a minimum of thirty semester hours including a thesis, or thirty-three hours and a report. A given number of courses completed with the required grades are the necessary prerequisites to the degrees. Graduate students fill positions as scientific investigators in research institutions and high school, college, and university teachers or research instructors.



Robert A. Billmeier Chicago, Ill.

Bryce Jessee
Shawnee

MASON EUGENE BROCK
Ada

Bob Jones
Oklahoma City

JOHNNIE DIETRICII EATON
Rocky

SAMUEL A. McMILLAN JR.

Dallas, Texas

Mildred C. Holleman Stillwater

Lenora G. Short Seminole

J. C. Horton

Ada

ROBERT SCHMUCK Scottsdal, Ariz.

# GRADUATE SCHOOL . . .

The faculty of the Graduate School consists of the President of the College, the Dean of the Graduate School, and the various members of the college faculty who regularly teach the graduate courses.

Dr. D. C. McIntosh, as Dean of the Graduate School since 1929, guides the administrative activities and coordinates the needs of the school in its capacity as a regular school of the college. Recipient of educational training from Indianapolis College of Pharmacy, Indiana University, and Iowa State College, Dean McIntosh was a member of the faculty at the University of Tennessee and Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College before coming to Oklahoma A. and



M. High standards have accompanied the growth and development of the Graduate School under the supervision of Dean D. C. McIntosh who is completing his twelfth year as Dean of the school.

In the process of development, the expansion of the scope of the school has resulted to a degree in the increase and classification of graduate study courses, extension of the required qualifications of the members of the graduate faculty, and augmentation of the school's ability to serve the needs of graduate students.

The increasing importance of the Graduate School is evidenced by the growing number of graduate students enrolling for furtherance of their education in the various courses of study. Concentrating on the development of individual thought, research methods, and the advancement of knowledge, graduate students maintain high scholastic and practical standards.

#### ERNEST E. SCHOLL ... Director

Pioneering in agricultural progress, the Extension Division serves the rural people of Oklahoma by diffusing among the people useful and practical information on subjects relating to agriculture and home economics and encouraging its practical utilization.

Introducing improved agricultural practices and successful home making techniques to the progressive farmers of the state through the medium of county agents, the Extension Division in reality takes the college to the farm. More than 200,000 farm families in Oklahoma are assisted in solving agricultural problems by the county and home demonstration agents located in each county of the state.



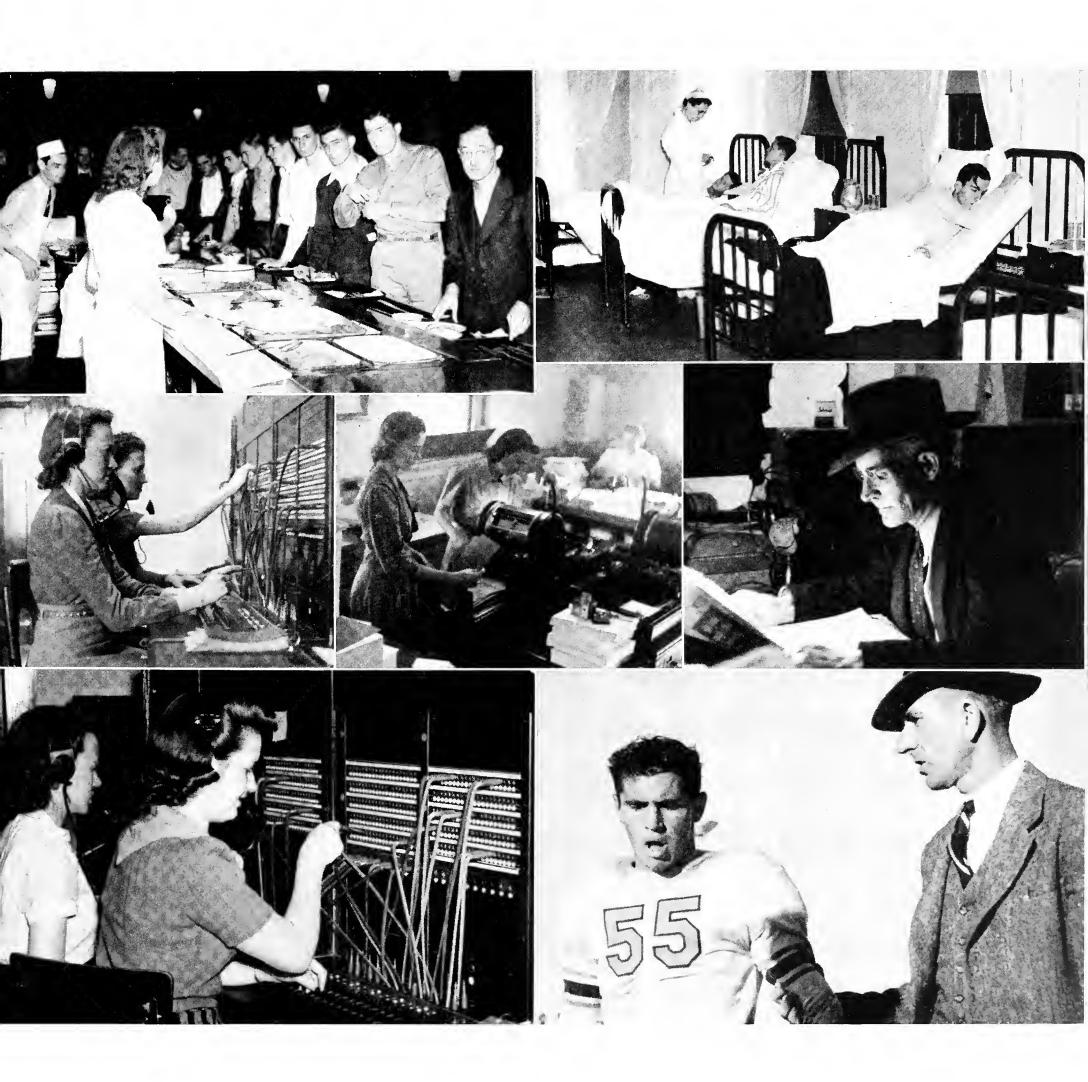
# ... EXTENSION DIVISION

A coöperative service financed and directed jointly by Oklahoma A. and M. College, the Extension Division was organized under the provisions of the Smith-Lever Act of 1914, accepted by the state legislature in 1915. Most of the funds appropriated for extension work are expended in payment of salaries of the agents located in the various counties.

The programs and plans of the Extension Division are based largely on the belief that the first objective of agriculturalist is to make the farm productive, therefore it follows that the function of the Division is to carry on practical education among people now resident upon farms throughout the state and to aid these people in solving the practical everyday problems of farming and home making.

In addition to assisting the farm men and women through the aid of the county and home demonstration agents who are employed under a coöperative agreement between the county and the college, the Extension Division encourages the "young farmers and home makers of tomorrow" to participate in the manifold activities of 4-H Club work. More than 48,000 4-H Club members take advantage of the basic training in agricultural problems, and approximately 30,000 farm women club members have organized to deal with complex problems of home making.

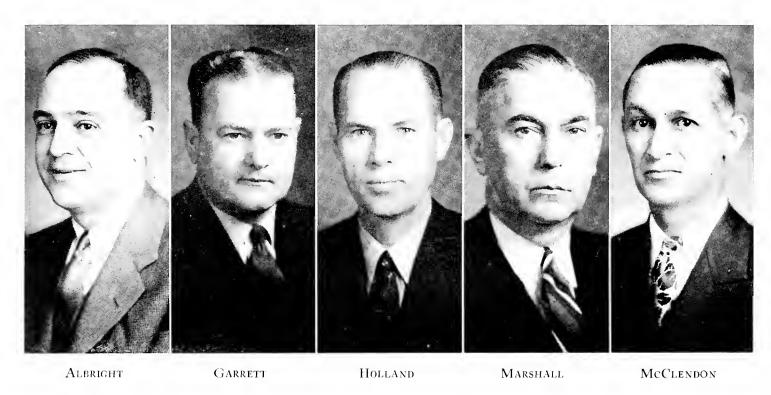
Ernest E. Scholl is Director in charge of the Extension Division.



#### ADMINISTRATION STAFF...

Behind the physical machinery which operates the multifarious duties and responsibilities coördinate in the administration of Oklahoma A. and M. College exist dozens of unseen workers as department chiefs, department assistants, secretaries, bookkeepers, stenographers, and clerks who supply the business and routine needs of the institution. Apparently obscure in their relations to the student, in reality it is through their hands that the endless life stream of collegiate education flows as it progresses onward in the assimilation and dissemination of knowledge. Directing, guiding, supervising, and laboring at necessary tasks in the college program, the administrative staff functions purposefully in the accomplishment of services that promote the efficiency and integrity of the college.

A booster and firm believer in A. and M., Earle C. Albright as Assistant to



the President accepts the responsibilities of the college during the absence of Dr. Bennett. As secretary of the institution, he has become familiar with the organization, policies, and administration since 1925 when he first functioned in an official capacity.

Coördinating the financial activities and commercial needs of the college is the essential problem confronting the business manager, W. J. Marshall, and his assistant, J. Lewie Sanderson, as they allocate state and federal appropriations to respective recipients.

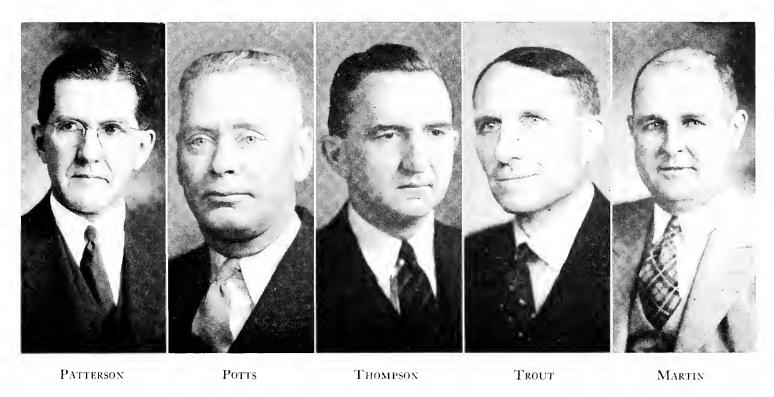
Student fee collections and monthly pay checks pass through the office of the chief clerk, T. B. McClendon, who is assisted by Cashier Ethel Prosser in directing the department services.

Various elements connected with the functioning of the purchasing department of the college are supervised by Raymond Garrett who is the clerk of the purchasing division.

Problems and situations concerned with student employment are recognized

through the office of E. Russell Holland who acts in the capacity of time clerk in the Student Employment Office.

As scholars and executives, the deans of A. and M. guide the course of the seven schools on the campus and the related curriculum. Positions of deanship are served by W. L. Blizzard, Dean of Agriculture and director of the Agricultural Experiment station; George W. Whiteside, acting Dean of Engineering in the absence of Phillip S. Donnell; Napoleon Conger, Dean of Education; Schiller Scroggs, Dean of Arts and Sciences; Nora A. Talbot, Dean of Home Economics; Raymond D. Thomas, Dean of the Division of Commerce; and Daniel C. McIntosh, Dean of the Graduate School. Dean of Women, Julia E. Stout encourages the development of leadership in co-ed organizations, while Dean C. H. Mc-



Elroy, "Dean Mac," serves as counselor of men. Lt. Col. H. B. Hildebrand heads the D. O. L. staff of the military department.

In charge of entrance regulations, requirements, and requisite information concerning college admissions, Herbert P. Patterson directs scholastic activities in his capacity as Dean of Administration and encourages scholastic attainments.

Chef par excellence, H. Clay Potts is the director of the Short Courses, and he acts as host to several thousand conference visitors, society conventions, and students taking part in social activities which require systematic planning.

Student health is emphasized by W. C. Thompson, college physician, as an important factor in college life. The college informary annually serves the student body in maintaining maximum health through modern medical practices and facilities.

Editor and head of the Publications department and chairman of the Board of Publications, Clement E. Trout directs the edition of college and departmental bulletins and promotes the program of A. and M. publicity.

Entertainer and organizer deluxe, A. Frank Martin guides the activities of the Student Entertainment Bureau and encourages the development of student talent along beneficial and renumerative lines of endeavor.

#### PLACEMENT BUREAU



A. O. MARTIN

Assistance is given each former student and graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. College in securing employment in the type of work for which he is best suited by the college Placement Bureau. In addition to aiding the former student or graduate to find employment, the Placement Bureau assists prospective employers of college graduates in selecting efficient and capable employees.

The Placement Bureau was established officially in 1929 under the supervision of the Former Students Association. It was through their efforts that the Bureau was organized with a dual purpose: to serve former students and graduates in employment relationships, and to serve state employers in selecting employees who have received college training.

The Placement Bureau acts in the capacity of intermediary between the candidate for a position

and the prospective employer who desires an individual with college qualifications. The central office maintains an employment register which contains detailed information concerning the training, education field, personal qualities, and past experience of the applicants seeking employment together with letters of reference which are made available in convenient form to interested employers.

Contacts are maintained with school executives and superintendents, personnel directors, and business men in order that information about the various applicants may be presented for consideration and approval. Over two thousand detailed records have been assembled in the offices of the Placement Bureau which is actively expanding its field of service to former students and graduates of Oklahoma A. and M. College.

In the maintenance of correspondence with applicants who have secured employment and their employers, the Placement Bureau is able to record the degree of success and advancement of the employee and the satisfaction obtained by the employer. Personal conferences with both employers and applicants enables the Bureau to increase its effectiveness in providing satisfactory employment relations and opportunities.

Educational placement service has predominated the occupational placements following the establishment of the Bureau in 1929, however a general trend is beginning to develop toward positions in commercial business, technical engineering secretarial administration, and agricultural practices. Credentials are filed in over twenty-five divisions including all of the teaching fields as well as a number of business and professional lines.

BOKENT ON ONLY

#### Student Senate . . .



This year's student government was interrupted by lack of finances and fiery editorials, but this term was much different from most years in student politics.

The senate's failure to compete with the popular "O" Club dance not only caused some mistaken hard feelings between the two organizations, but it also left the senate broke.

Dorris Moore, Mary Carter, Neva Mae Deupree, and Florence Ellen Conger promoted a most successful Backward Week.

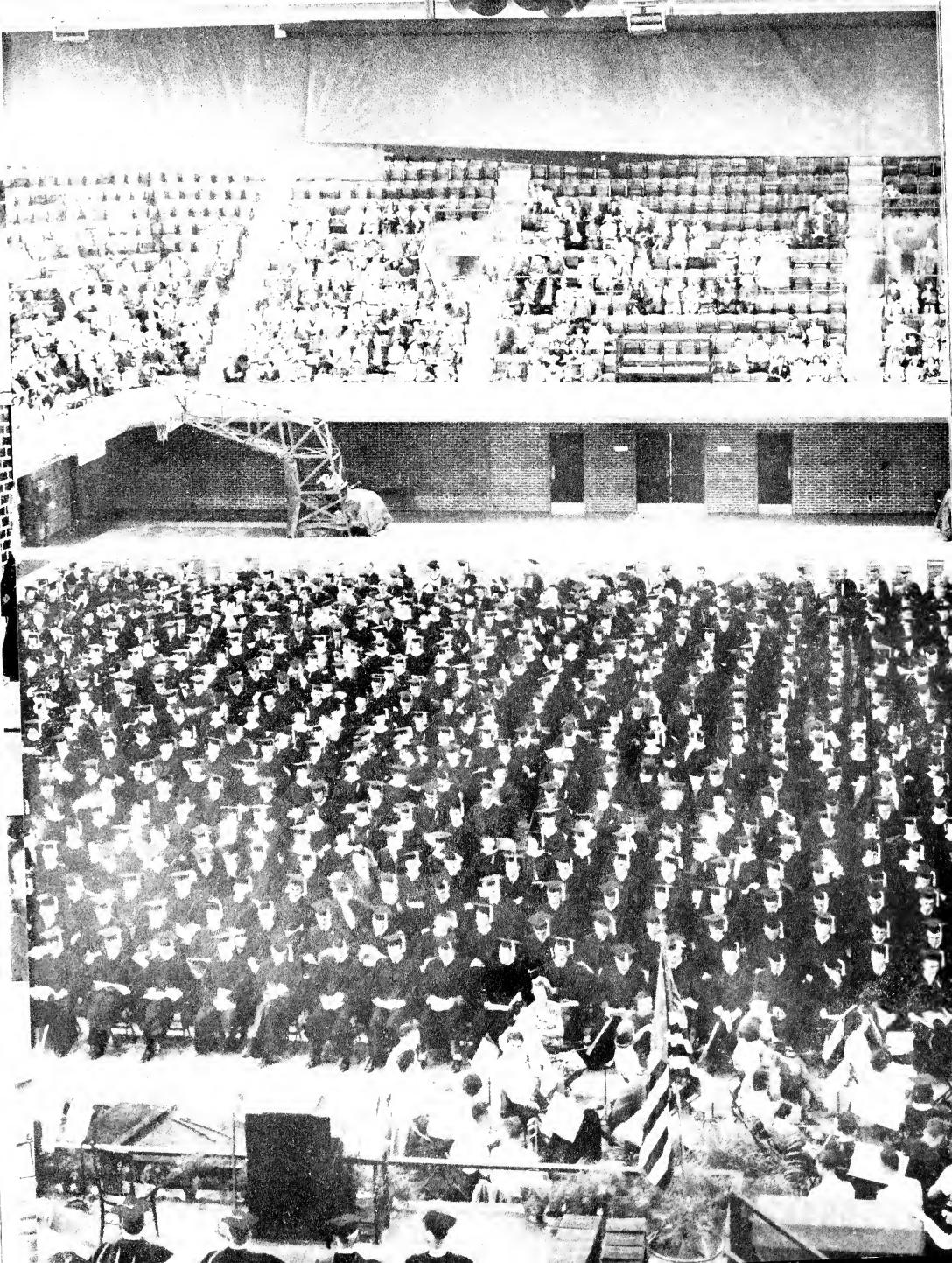
Gilbert Walker, Bud Milikan, Jack Colbert, Dee Moscoe, Lloyd Lunger, Charles Pratt, and L. J. Eggleston were selected as contenders for the crown of Popularity Prince of 1941. Eggleston, popularized by basketball fame, won in a photo-finish at the highly profitable Sadie Hawkins Dance which ended the female-controlled week. It is during this week that girls realize how hard it is to find your partner at dances, the costs of dates, and the transportation problems. The boys usually have lots of studying to do this week and don't care for dates.

Every governing body of the schools on the campus sponsors the election of a queen to rule over their students. We now have the Redskin Queen, Freshman Queen, Sophomore Queen, First Lady of Commerce, Engineering Queen, Streamlined School Marm, Aggie Princess, and Honorary Colonels for the Engineers and Infantry R. O. T. C. Units.

- Rush week with the Pi Phi girls with Gene Smelser looking on . . . Schwabe
- steps off from Sig Chi doorstep . . . frosh, caps, and enrollment . . . Joe
- Mayfield with Teddy Price and Jean
- Cooley . . . Betty Joe Kirby . . . what size, please . . . Harlan, Hopson, and
- Moscoe with Cordell Hall in the background . . . no silverware, pledges.

## ... Denounces Gravy Trains





# STUDENT GOVERNMENT



## STUDENT ASSOCIATION



GENE SMELSER
President



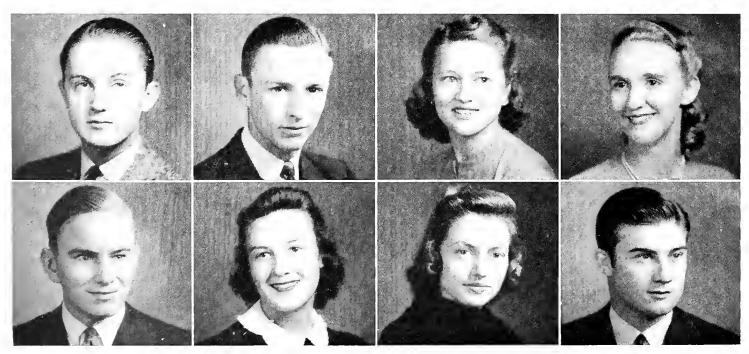
The Student Senate was organized with the idea of developing student government, and drawing the college administration and the student body into a closer relationship. In February, 1914, the Senate was founded as the "Student Representative Committee." At its organization, data were gathered from other colleges and universities, and, with this as a basis, a committee formulated a constitution for the student legislative body of Oklahoma A. and M. College. The present constitution was approved by the president and went into effect in the spring of 1932.

Members of the senate composed a well-rounded representation of the student body. Delegation to the group is allowed by schools and by college classification. Each school is allowed one senator, seniors have three delegates, juniors have two, and sophomores have one, while one senator at large, who also serves as secretary-treasurer of the Student Association is elected. The vice-president of the Student Association acts as President of the Senate while the President of the Association is an ex-officio member of the senate.

The Student Senate for the 1940-41 school term started off the social season by giving their annual "Ribbon Dance". This is one of the most important dances of the school year. The next project sponsored by the senate was the sale of orange and black caps to the green freshmen.

As is customary the senate had charge of all homecoming activities, and presented trophies to winners of float and decoration contests at the Homecoming Dance. Also during the school year the

Top Row, left to right—Jack Boyd, Bob Diggs Brown, Mary Carter, Florence Ellen Conger Second Row—Hays Cross, Neva Mae Deupree, Lois Falkenburg, Floyd Foley



#### .... Governs the Student Body

senate sponsored several dances. The senate sponsored a dance that was played by a dance band from Oklahoma University while the student senate of the University sponsored a dance played by one of the orchestras of our campus.

The girl members of the Student Senate promoted and managed a "Sadie Hawkins Week" that was climaxed by a Casonova Ball with Doris Moore, senior senator, crowning L. J. Eggleston as "Popularity Prince."

Although the senate has only two sources of income, dances and freshman cap sales, it has a great many expenses. Some of the most important expenditures are the purchase of "O" blankets for the graduating lettermen, which the senate cooperated with the "O" Club this year in the purchase of these blankets. They purchase Homecoming prizes, keys for senate members, the payment of all election expenses, purchase of uniforms for the yell leaders, and the payment of the salary of the Secretary-treasurer of the Student Association.

Members of the 1940-41 Student Senate were Gene Smelser, president of the Student Association; John Schwabe, president of the Senate; Floyd Foley, secretary-treasurer of the Student Association; Walter Mason, J. H. Rice and Neva Mae Deupree, senior senators; Harry Synar, Doris Moore, junior senators; Jack Boyd, sophomore senator; Mary Carter, home economics; Willard Holderby, Commerce; Bob Diggs Brown, Engineering; Hays Cross, Arts and Science; Florence Ellen Conger, Education; Allen Heidebrecht, Agriculture.

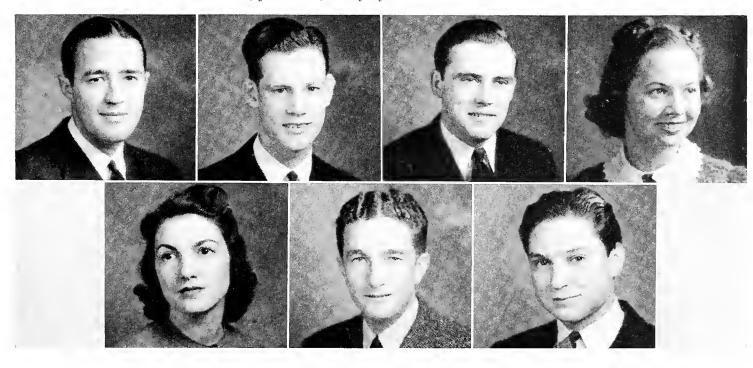


JOHN SCHWABE

Tice-President



Top Row, left to right—Allen Heidebrecht, Willard Holderby, Walter Mason, Pauline Mills Second Row—Doris Moore, J. H. Rice, Harry Synar



#### ASSOCIATED WOMEN STUDENTS



CAROL ANN STRINGFIELD



MARY ALICE DUNCAN



Functioning as a coordinating board for all women's organizations on the campus, the Association of Women Students of Oklahoma A. and M. College takes as its purpose the regulation of all matters pertaining to women students which do not fall under the jurisdiction of the faculty; to encourage cooperation between campus, fraternity, and town groups; to bring about greater integration of women's organizations, and to create attitudes that will promote and maintain the highest standards of college life.

Membership in A. W. S. is automatically extended to all women students enrolled at Oklahoma A. and M. entitling them to participate in the problem of women's self-government. Julia E. Stout, Dean of Women, is the sponsor of the association.

In addition to accepting the problems of women's self-government, the Association of Women Students accepts the responsibility of guiding freshman women through orientation as well as sponsoring the annual Co-ed Prom and the annual Matinee Tea which is a second semester activity. Costumes are worn and stunts presented at the Co-ed Prom, whereas new students are aided to become acquainted at the more formal Matinee Tea.

Working for the maintenance and welfare of other campus organizations, the Association of Women Students has been instrumental in assisting them to pursue an active program in the interest of women students. A. W. S. has been a staunch supporter of the Y. W. C. A., and during periods of depression and need it has extended the organization financial aid.

Included in the extensive service program of A. W. S. during the past year have been plans to encourage the establishment of Mortar Board, national senior women's honor organization, on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus. These plans were successfully completed this year as Achafoa, local senior women's organization, was nationalized as a chapter of Mortar Board.

Assistance rendered by A. W. S. has enabled the Townettes, local society of independent women, to organize and establish a representative society composed of women residing in residences adjacent to the campus. Active support has been extended by A. W. S. to the Women's Athletic Association in cooperation with a movement to encourage increased interest in collegiate women's sports program, and it is through the assistance of A. W. S. that W. A. A. representatives have been aided to attend national conventions. The Association of Women Students played a prominent part in the establishment of Sigma

#### .... Assures Women's Activities

Alpha Iota, honor society for music students, on the campus as an organization to promote high music ideals. Coöperating with other organizations, A. W. S. renders service in maintaining high collegiate standards.

Three distinct divisions compromise the administrative council of the Association of Women Students. They are the Executive Board, composed of the officials of A. W. S. and the presidents of W. A. A., Y. W. C. A., Panhellenic Council, Mortar Board, and the president of the Judicial Board; the Judicial Board which is represented by two seniors, two juniors, a sophomore, and the vice-president of A. W. S. who acts in the capacity of chairman; and the Legislative Board which includes representatives from each sorority, organized Townette house, and floor of the women's residence halls. Dean Julia E. Stout sponsors the Executive Board, Vesta Etchison supervises the Judicial Board, and Mrs. M. P. Hammand sponsors the activities of the Legislative Board which is chiefly a means of contact with the members.

Administrative activities of the Association of Women Students are directed by Dorothy Jones, president; Hazel Mitchell, vice-president; Carol Ann Stringfield, treasurer; and Mary Alice Duncan, treasurer. Officials of A. W. S. are elected annually through the individual balloting of the members of the association.

Present members of the Executive Board are Dorothy Jones, Hazel Mitchell, Carol Ann Stringfield, Mary Alice Duncan, Margaret Fox, Anna Lou McClelland, Rose Mary Tompkins, and Marjorie Johnson.

Representatives of the Judicial Board include Nancy Echols, Betty Jonas, Leah Highfill, Vestagene Etchison, and Nancy Bisel; whereas the Legislative Board is composed of Hazel Mitchell, Betty Jo Etchison, Bonnie Phillips, Teddy Price, Jocille Taylor, Ann Blair, Margaret Abrams, Lois Rooker, Maxine Russell, Virgie Duck, Neata Fox, Jerry Meek, Claudine Frost, Winifred Bodine, Jacqueline Swift, Mary Louise Spurlock, Jewel Dean Peterman, Betty Overmiller, Vivian Doty, Maxine Mayfield, and Kathryn Moore.

The Association of Women Students biennially calls a national convention to which local associations send delegates. Seventeen delegates from Oklahoma A. and M. attended the regular biennial convention which was held on the Texas Tech campus at Lubbock, Texas.



DOROTHY JONES



HELEN MITCHELL



## C. H. MCELROY . . . .



Hospitality and democracy, the very spirit of Oklahoma A. and M., are reflected as from a mirror in the personality and character of C. H. McElroy who has been since 1900 an Aggie, and since 1926 Dean of Men.

Known to the students as "Dean Mac", C. H. McElroy accepts the responsibilities of counselor, officio and ex-officio, and advisor as Dean of Men and as a result of his experience and judgment has been a guiding personality to both freshmen and upper classmen. He is assisted by Alice McIntire.

In the thirty-one years during which Dean McElroy has promulgated the ideals, traditions, and aims that constitute Oklahoma A. and M. College, the school has fostered the development of virtuous character and scholastic attainment in students as the ultimate realization of manhood.

## .... Counselor of Men

C. H. McElroy was born in Tulsa, of Creek Indian descent, and he first came to the Oklahoma A. and M. campus in 1900 as a student. Receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in 1904, he continued his education at St. Joseph College where he was the recipient of the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree and concluded his formal schooling at the University of Chicago. In 1909 he became a laboratory assistant instructor, instructor, professor of bacteriology, associate Dean, Dean of Science and Literature, and acted for a three month period as president of Oklahoma A. and M. College. As a symbol of appreciation and recognition for twenty-five years of service, Dean McElroy was presented a bronze plaque by the Decennium Club in 1935 with the expressive inscription, "Twenty-five years of service."

Believing in fair play, justice, and the promotion of good will has won "Dean Mac" a high place in the affections of the student body which is partially reciprocated in his belief that college students are capable and should administer student government with additional supervision needed only in cases affecting discipline.

Upon President Bennett's absence, Dean McElroy assumes the chairmanship of the college council in dealing with administrative actions and lower committee decisions.

## ... JULIA E. STOUT

Friend, counselor, and advisor Julia E. Stout, Dean of Women, perpetuates the honor and tradition of Oklahoma A. and M. as she encourages a high cultural standard of student life on the campus. Sympathetic, understanding, and a keen judge of human nature, she assists women students in solving social, financial, and scholastic problems.

Practically every young woman in school comes into contact with Dean Stout at some time during the year in an official, advisory capacity or at social functions. Always the student finds in her the same courteous, pleasant interest and helpfulness in studying the needs and satisfactions necessary to amplify the opportunities of education. A great deal of time is given to conferences with individuals and organizations.



## Advisor of Women . . . .

Approaching her extensive field of effort from the constructive point of view, Dean Julia E. Stout gives freely her charming personality in seeking as her reward only the happiness of the women she guides so successfully. Acting as the parent of all college women on the campus, Dean Stout approves the living conditions of the women students, guides the health of every student, and every dance attended by A. and M. co-eds must bear the approval of the Dean of Women.

Eager to aid students to obtain an educational opportunity, Dean Stout was responsible for placing more than 100 young women in Stillwater homes as assistants, to receive in return for their work either room, board, or both.

Representing women's interests on the college council, in committee meetings, and at special conferences, Dean Julia E. Stout is also a member of the Allied Arts, College Council, Council for Women, Residence Halls, Orintation Week, Housing, Rules and Regulations, and numerous other college standing committees. She is actively affiliated with the National Association of Deans of Women, State Deans Association, Delta Kappa Gamma, Stillwater City Panhellenic, Lahoma Club, and a member of Alpha Phi fraternity. Dean Stout is an inspiration to the ideals of women students.

## FORMER STUDENTS . . .



A. O. Martin Secretary

"The Alumni Association of the Oklahoma A. and M. College was organized in 1897 with only six members," according to W. L. Burlison, '05, president of the Alumni Association, in the 1910 Redskin. At the annual meeting in 1920 a new constitution was adopted and the name changed to "Alumni Corporation of the Oklahoma A. and M. College." On April 14, 1928 "The Former Students Association of the Oklahoma A. and M. College" was organized as successor to the Alumni Corporation. Objects of the Association are: To provide a medium of contact between the Oklahoma A. and M. College and its former students; to provide a placement bureau; and to sponsor such publications as may be necessary to further the objects of the Association.

For the past thirteen years the Former Students Association has functioned and has maintained a full time office. Major activities sponsored by the Association are enumerated below. The A. and M. College Magazine, official publication of the Association, publishes news about the college, alumni, and former students (more information about the Magazine is given in another section of this book). The Placement Bureau was established in 1929 and has been operated since that time. Personal records of 3,400 students are on file. Many graduates and former students have been aided each year in securing employment.

A three-way file of the names and addresses of graduates of Oklahoma A. and M. College are kept in the Former Students Association office. These are arranged in alphabetical order, by classes, and according to geographical location. Class reunions of graduates of A. and M. are held on each fifth anniversary following graduation. The Association assists committees of the reunion classes each year in making arrangements for reunions and sponsors Homecoming Day for alumni each fall. The Association represents the common interests of alumni and former students of the College in the institution and in each other. It seeks to promote the interests of the institution, serves as the connecting link between alumni and the College, and helps preserve the friendships and memories of college days.

WALTER JESSEE
President



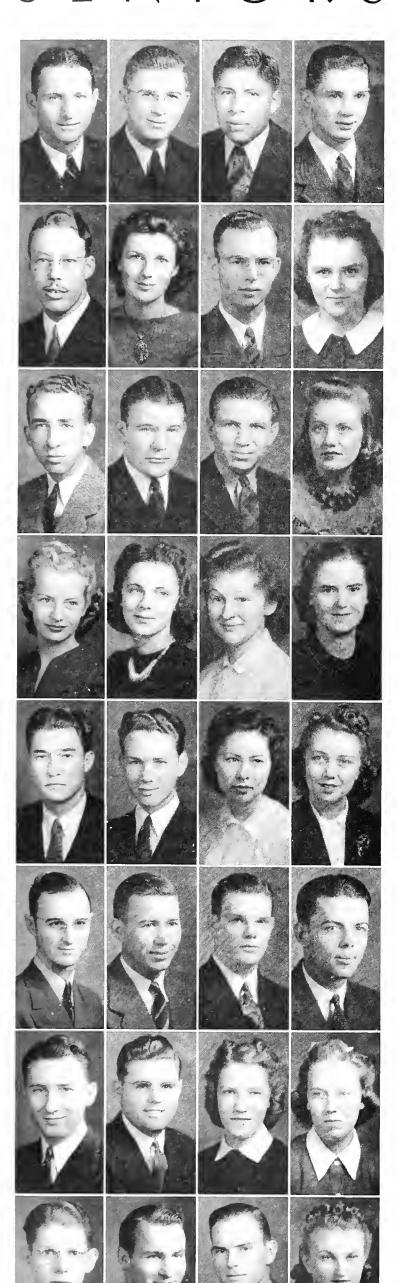
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FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE

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#### SING OFFANCIA A. AROM COLLEG



John Schwabe, tall dark handsome president of Student Scnate. Jean Cooley, Aggie Princess, wore his fraternity pin.



EDWIN ADAIR, Warner, Agri.

WILLIAM ROBERT AGEE, Stillwater, Agri., Scabbard & Blade, Agronomy, Pershing Rifles, DeMolay

JAKE ATHONE, Carnegie, Agri., Bone Crushers

Merle Allen, Guthrie, Agri., Officers Club, Pershing Rifles, Kappa Kappa Psi

THOMAS EARL ALLGOOD, Stillwater, A. & S., Wrestling

ALEENE MAY ANDERSON, Drumright, A. &. S., Y. W. C. A., Pi Epsilon Alpha, Pan-American Student Forum

Ross W. Anderson, Stillwater, Engr., Pi Tau Sigma, Kappa Kappa Psi, A. S. M. E., Pershing Rifles, Pi Mu Epsilon, Engr. Society

FAY EVELYN ANTHIS, Muskogee, H. E., Zeta Tau Alpha, Pepper, H. E. Club, Y. W. C. A.

Dee Ashenhurst, *Ponca City*, Com., Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Mu Kappa Tau

EUGENE L. ATTEBERG, Fallis, A. S. C. E., Engr. Society

CHARLES BACON JR., Pawhuska, Com., Beta Theta Pi

MARGARET ALICE BAHR, Stillwater, Com.

Susan Jane Barber, Bartlesville, A. & S., Pi Zeta Kappa, Symphonic Band, Symphony Orchestra

Margaret Bardsley, Stillwater, A. & S., Kappa Alpha Theta, W. A. A., Y. W. C. A.

Annabelle Barnes, Bryan, Tex., H. E., Delta Zeta, Kappa Phi, W. A. A., Terpsichorean Club, Aggiettes, H. E. Club

MARY JEAN BARRICK, Enid, H. E., Omicron Nu, Home Economics Club,

Max Barth Jr., Catesby, Agri.

Earl Owen Bates, *Chelsea*, A. & S., Band, Orchestra, Pep Band, Kappa Kappa Psi

HELEN BATES, Chelsea, Com., Band, Orchestra, Y. W. C. A.

Lois Algene Beaty, Ardmore, H. E., H. E. Club, Peppers, Girl's Glee Club, Y. W. C. A., A. W. S.

WALTER BECKHAM, Bristow, Agri.

Perry H. Beeson, Claremore, Engr., Amer. I. E. E., Engr. Society, Radio Club

DEWEY BELL, El Reno, Engr., Kappa Tau Pi, Officers Club

JOHN C. BELLATTI, Carney, Engr., Lambda Chi Alpha, Ruf Nex, A. S. C. E.

Ernest Roy Berousek, Oklahoma City, Agri., Farm House, Blue Key, Alpha Zeta, Hell Hounds, National Dairy Club, 4-H

J. F. Bessire, Anadarko, Engr., Scabbard & Blade, Engr. Society

MARY ECHO BILLINGSLEY, Yale, Educ., Pi Epsilon Alpha, International Relation Club

Dorothy Jean Blackledge, Muskogee, H. E., Kappa Delta, Home Economics Club

Bruce A. Blackman, Weleetka, Engr., Amer. I. E. E.

Carl Blackwell, Stillwater, Com., President of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Blue Key, Gamma Sigma, and Commerce Council, Member of Phi Eta Sigma, Interfraternity Council

WILLIAM ALVIN BLANTON, Verden, Engr., A. S. C. E., Engr. Society Velma Ruth Bloyd, Alva, Educ., Kappa Phi



Bill Cole, the Hydro flash, is known as a regular fellow and one of the best workers on the campus. He is really a BMOC in the Aggie school.

MAXINE CAROL BLUBAUGH, Tonkawa, Com., Epsilon Pi

Ruth Bobo, Oklahoma City, Com., Commerce Student Council, O. G. A., Sigma Alpha Sigma, Zeta Tau Alpha, Peppers, Y. W. C. A.

MARY MADELL BONAR, Stillwater, A. & S., Pi Beta Phi, Y. W. C. A., Arts & Science Council

Jean Bond, Tulsa, A. & S., Chi Omega

Donald Bonham, Jefferson, Engr.

BILL BOONE, Ponca City, Engr., Pi Kappa Alpha

SIZEMORE BOWLAN, Shawnee, Agri., President of F. F. A., Aggie Society, National Dairy Club

MARY E. BRANSON, Morrison, Educ., Kappa Delta

WILLIAM ELMER BREEDEN  $J_{R.}$ , Ada, Com.

AUDREY BRAY, Oklahoma City, H. E., Y. W. C. A., Pi Epsilon Alpha, H. E. Club

JACK EUGENE BRIGGS, Stillwell, Agri.

JAMES EDWARD BRIGGS, Winfield, Iowa, Agri., F. F. A., Block and Bridle Treasurer '40, President of Phi Tau Theta, Vice President Y. M. C. A., Alpha Zeta, Methodist Student Council

Wanda Briggs, Ft. Worth, Texas, H. E., H. E. Club, Pi Epsilon Alpha JOHNNIE BRINK, Gage, Agri., Agronomy Club, Officers Club, Aggie Society

HOWARD LEE BRIGHT, Calumet, Agri., National Dairy Club, Y. M. C. A., Aggie Society, Collegiate 4-H Club

HUBERT BROOKER, Tulsa, Engr., A. S. M. E., Engr. Society

Betty Brown, Bristow, Com., Sigma Alpha Sigma, A. W. S., Y. M. C. A., Choral Club

Bob Diggs Brown, Duncan, Engr., Sigma Nu, Pi Tau Sigma, Sigma Tau, Student Senate, Blue Key, A. S. M. E., S. A. M. E., Engr. Council, Engr. Society

George Herschel Brown, Depew, Com.

Lois Harriet Brown, Stillwater, Com.

THEDA BARBARA BROWN, Stillwater, H. E., H. E. Club, Y. W. C. A. THOMAS LAFAYETTE BROWN, Little Rock, Ark., Agri., Agronomy Club, Farm House, Aggie Society

J. P. Bryan, Stillwater, Com., Alpha Kappa Psi, B. S. U. Council, Sophomore President 36-37

DORA ANN BUCKLEW, Wardville, H. E., Pi Epsilon Alpha

RAY A. BULLEN, Enid, Agri., Alpha Zeta, F. F. A., Block & Bridle

HARRY DEAN BUNCH, Mustang, Agri., Alpha Zeta, Phi Eta Sigma, Kappa Tau Pi, Agronomy Club, Aggie Society

VELLA ELOISE BURGER, Stillwater, H. E., H. E. Club

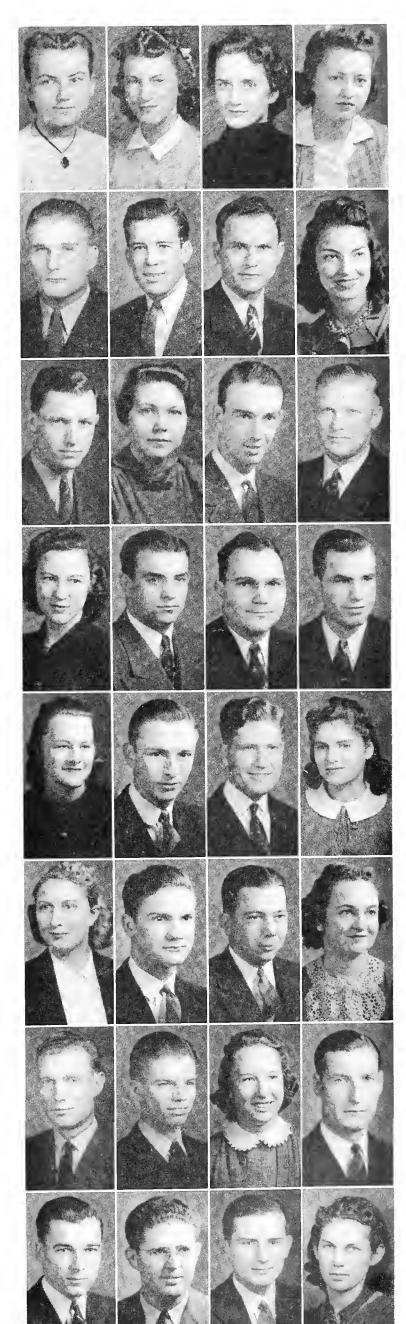
DENT LOUIS BURGESS, Billings, Agri., Farm House, Phi Sigma, Aggie Society

CLIFFORD BURTON, Chattanooga, Tenn., Agri., Farm House, Alpha Zeta, Dairy Club, F. F. A., Dairy Team

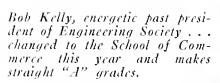
DOYAL K. BURTON, Stillwater, A. & S., Sigma Phi Epsilon, Band, Orchestra

ALVIS O. BYRD, Carter Nine, Engr.

MARIAM CALDWELL, Frederick, Educ.























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EUPHAMA NORMA CARR, Cushing, Educ., Kappa Phi, W. A. A., Terpsi-

EMMETT NELSON CARTER, Corton, Agri., Alpha Gamma Rho, Aggie X, JACK KENT COLBERT, Duncan, Com., President of Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Joe Colvin, Drumright, A. & S.

ALVIN HAROLD CASEY, Stigler, Agri., Alpha Zeta, Collegiate F. F. A., Aggie Society

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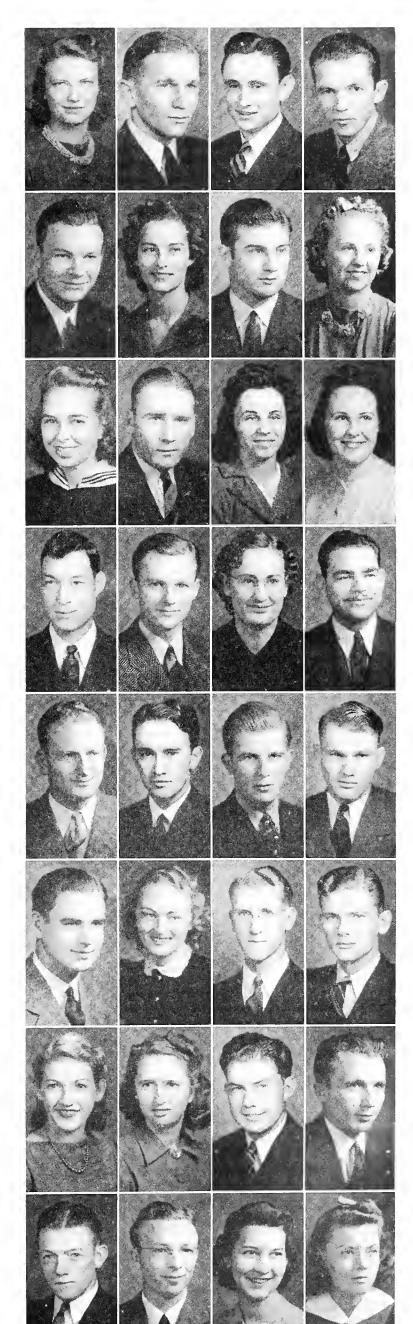
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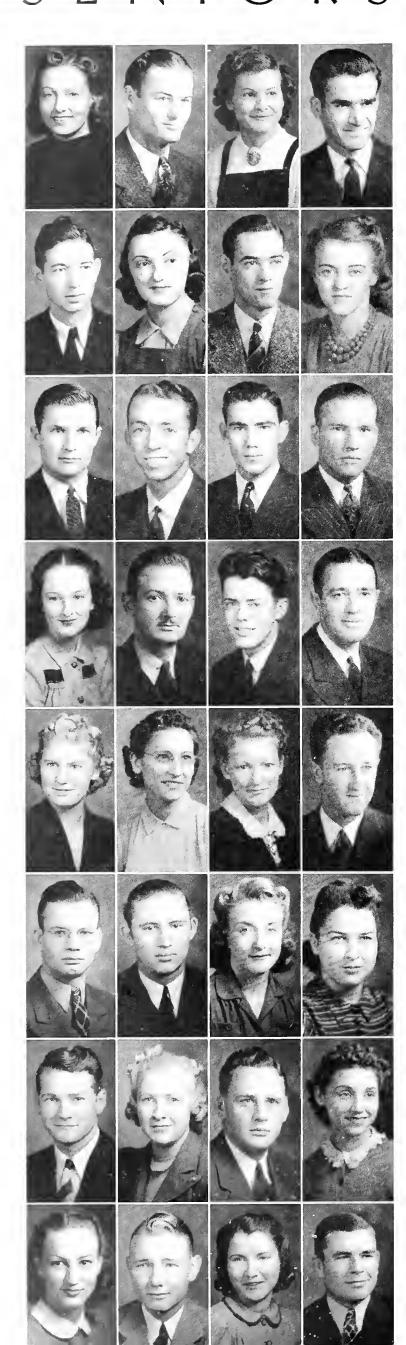
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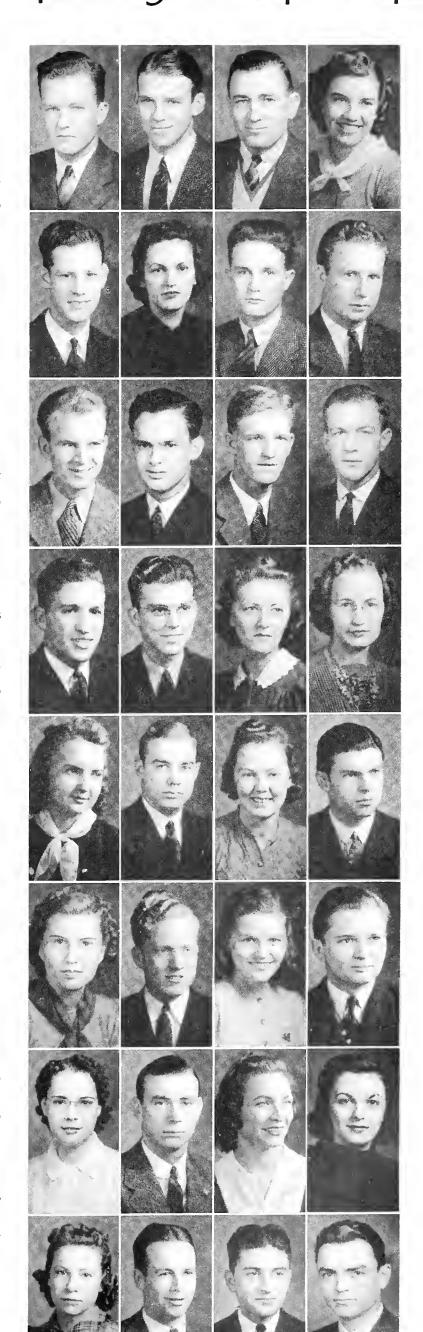
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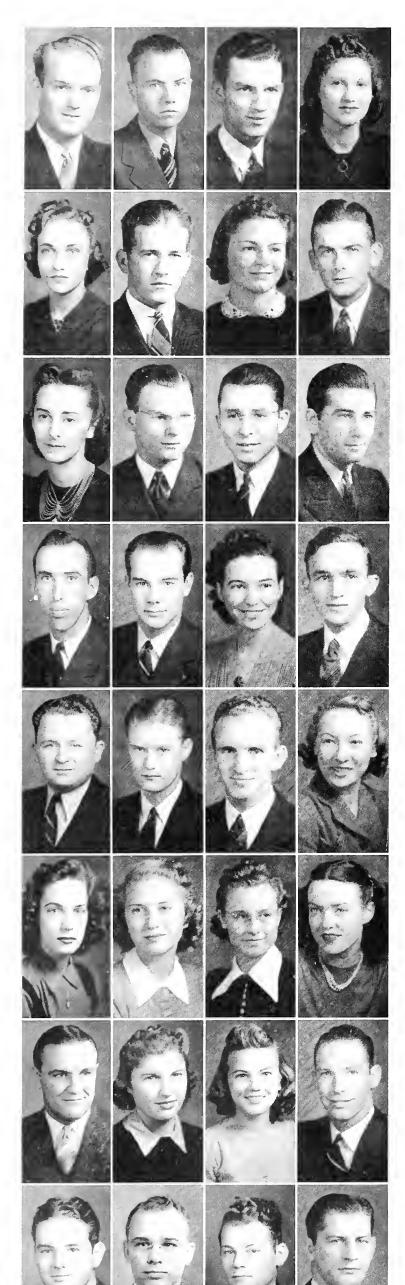
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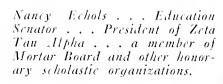














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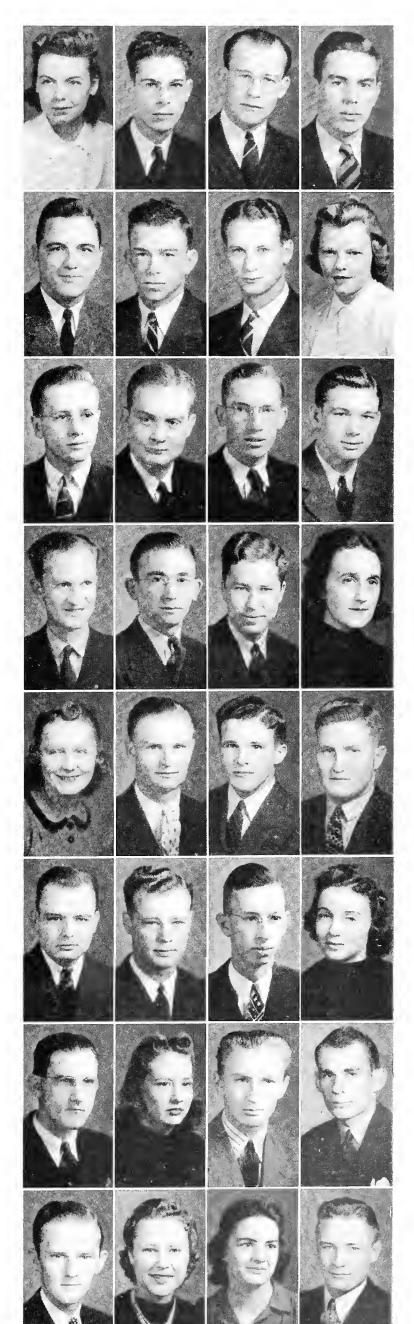
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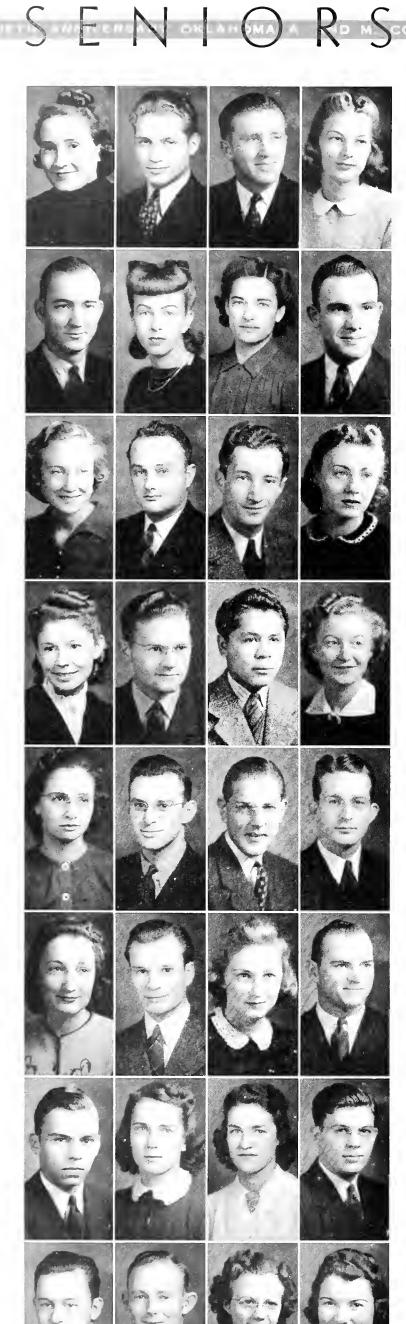
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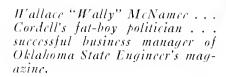
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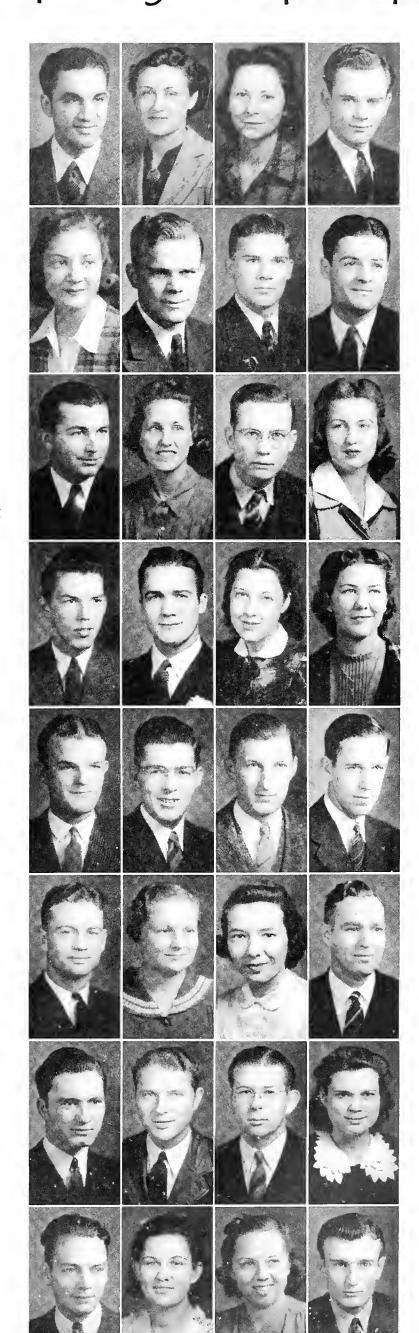
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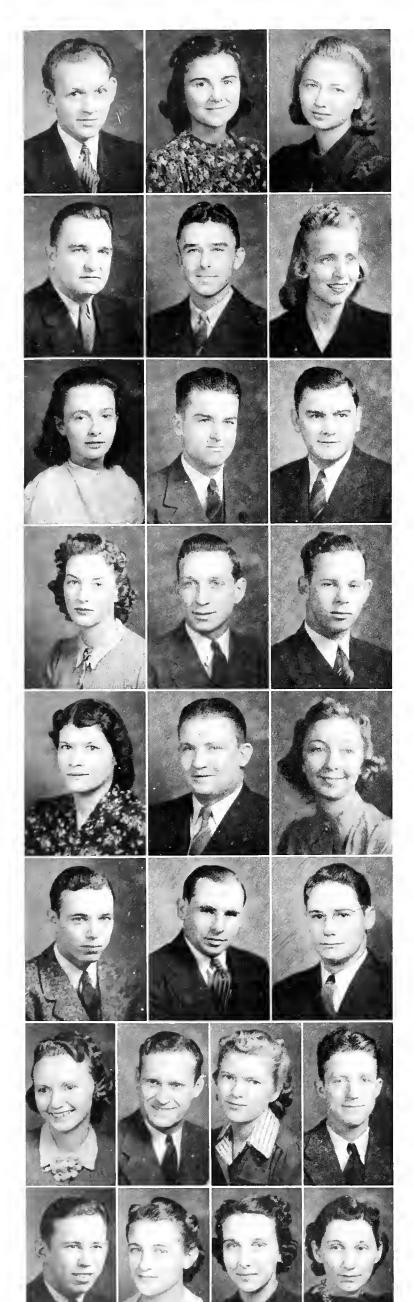
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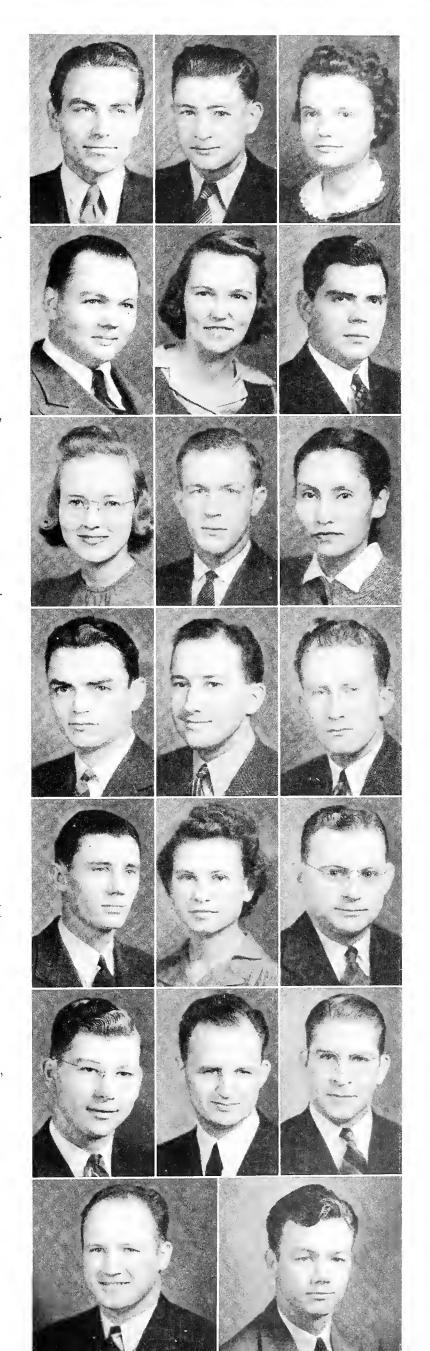
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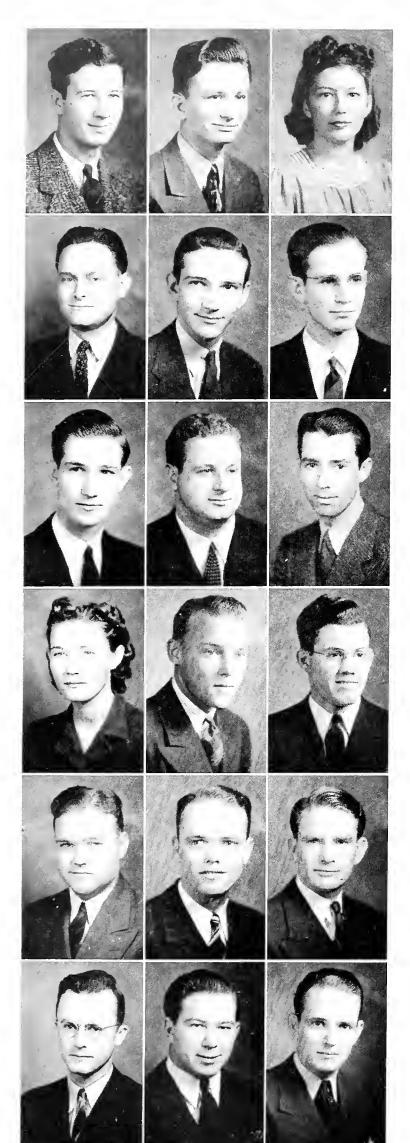
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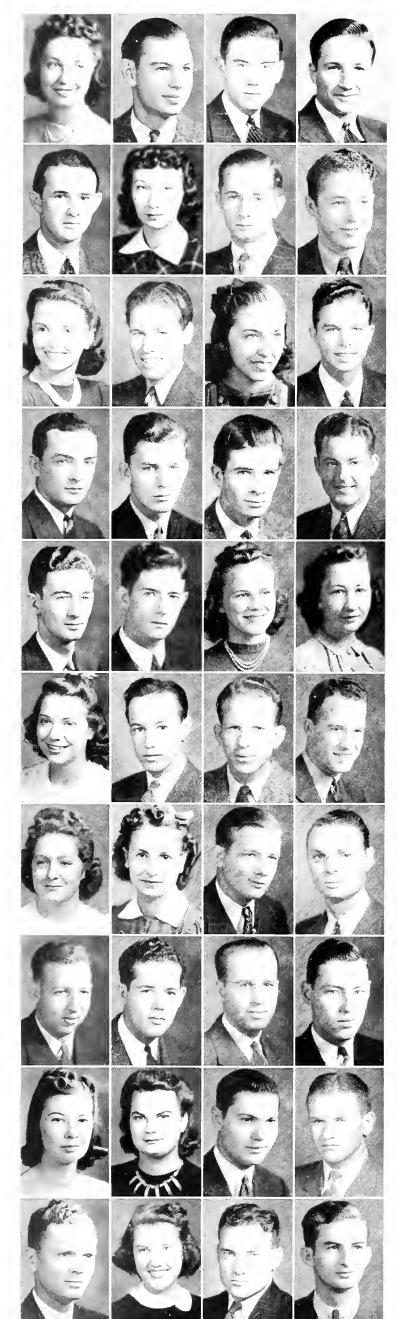
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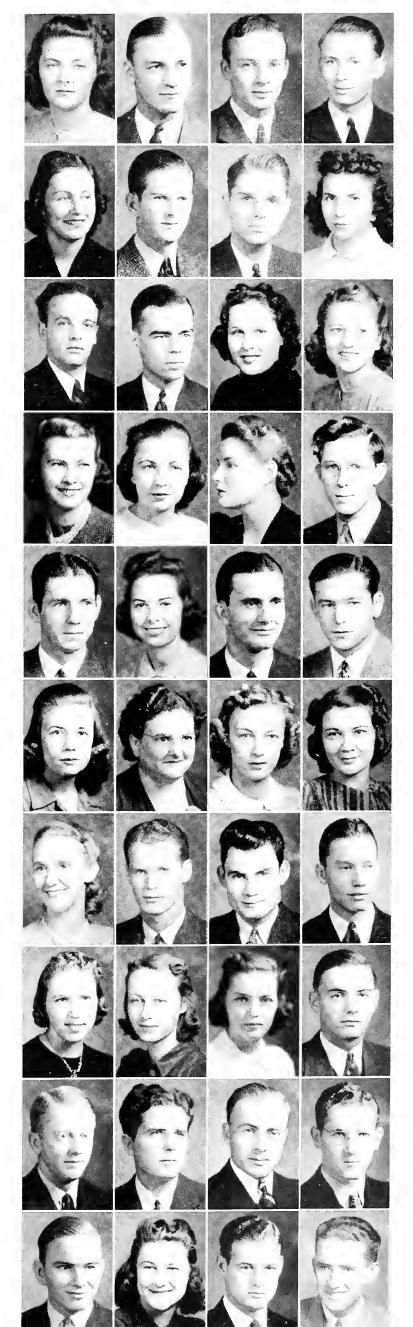
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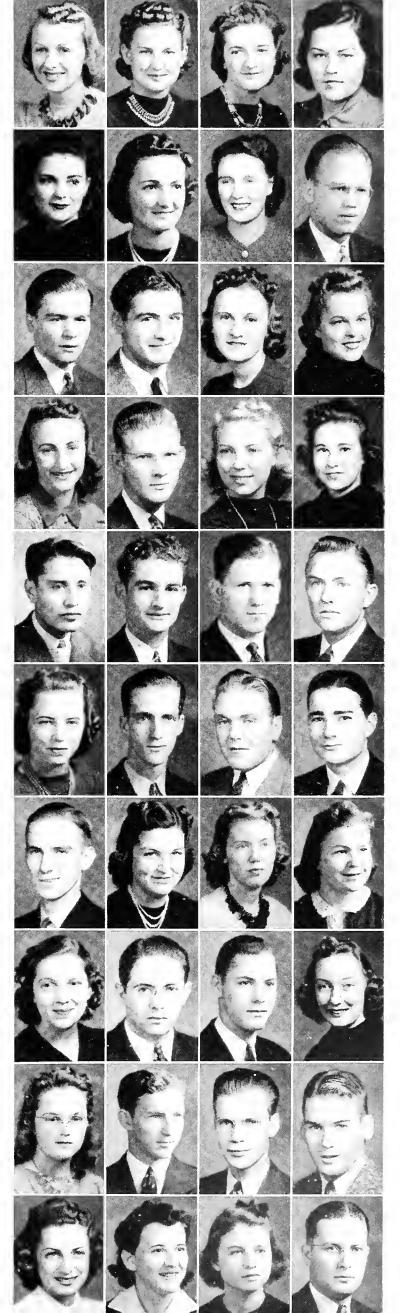


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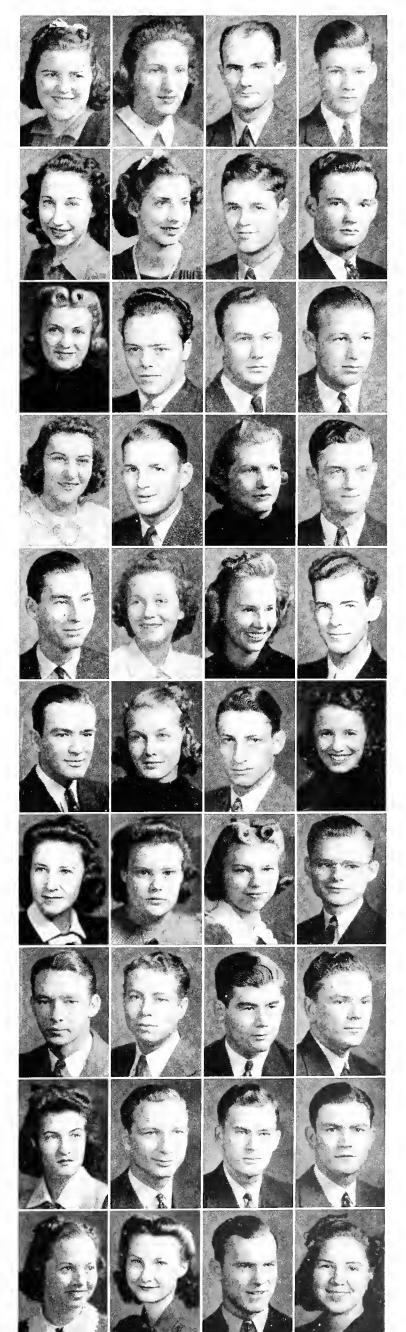
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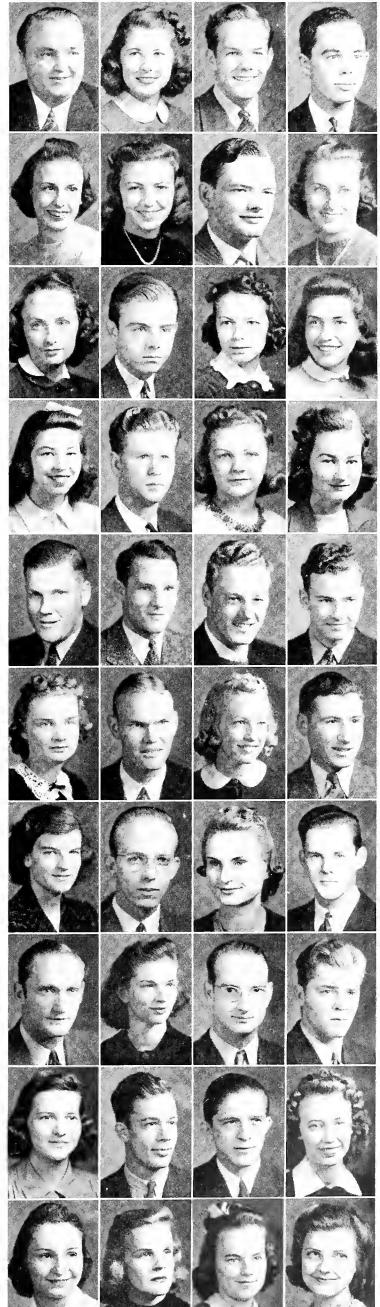
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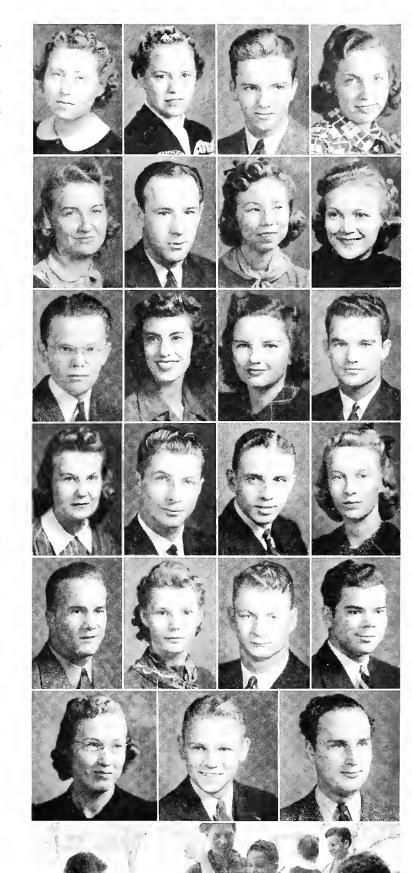
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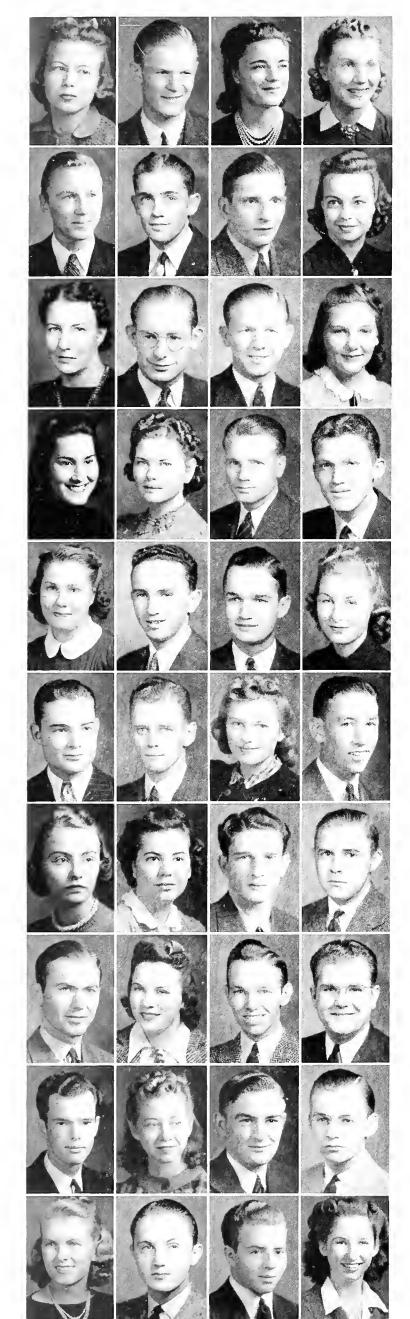




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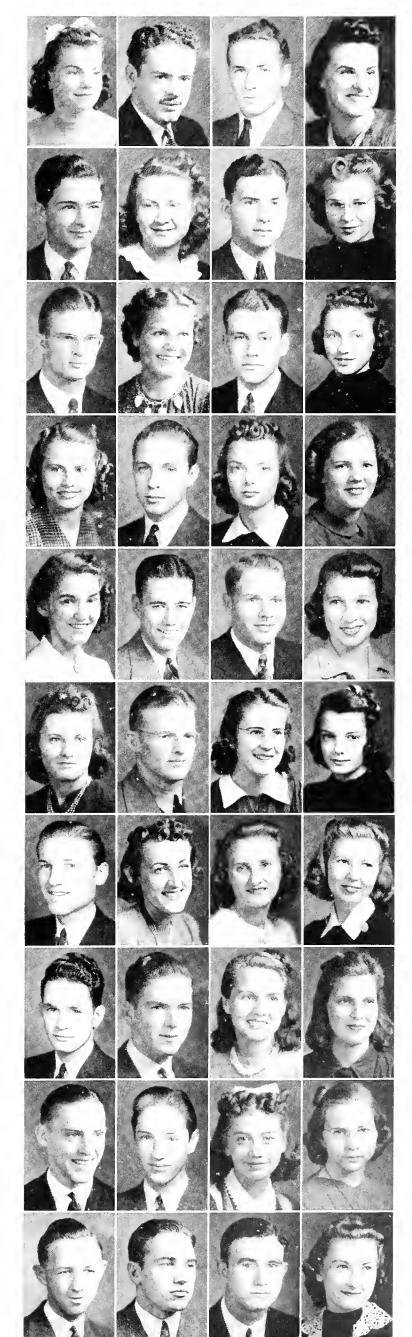


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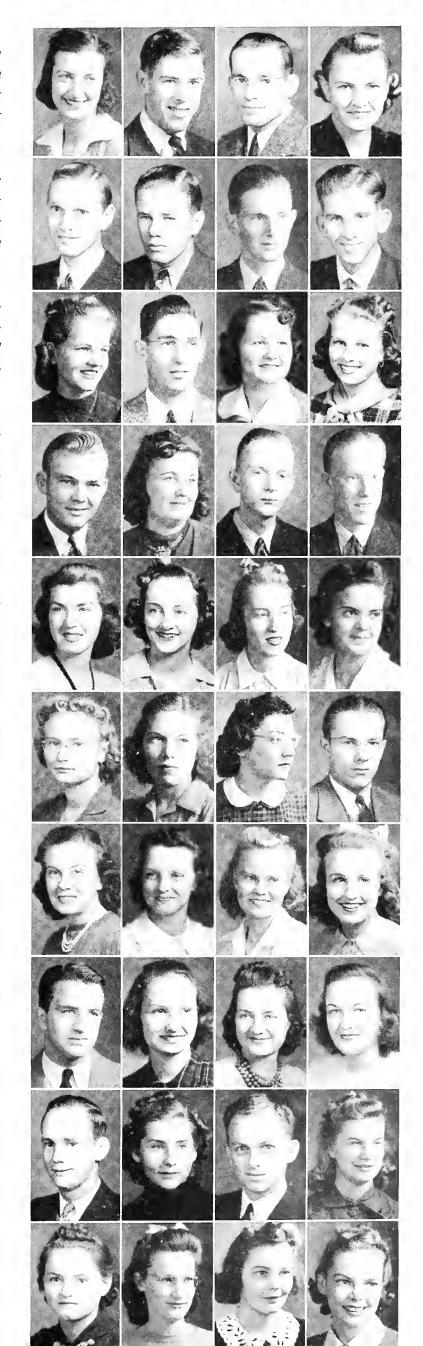


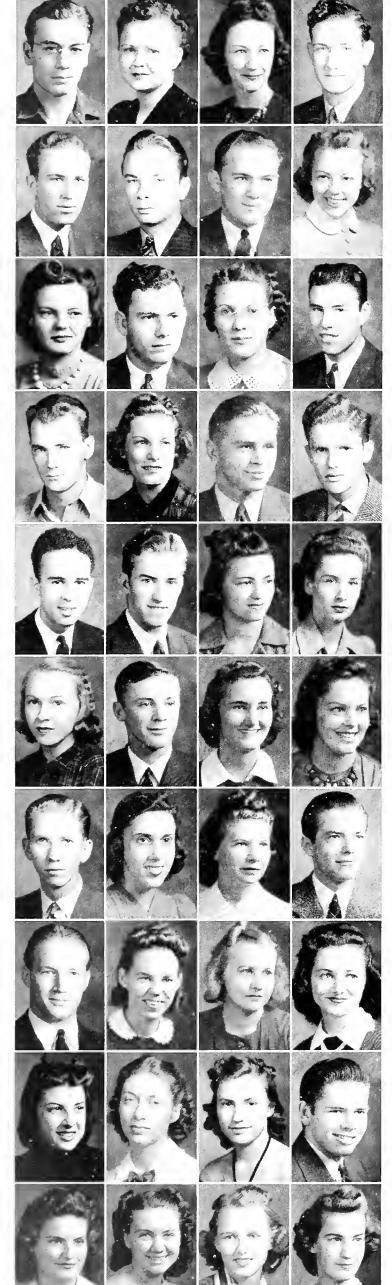
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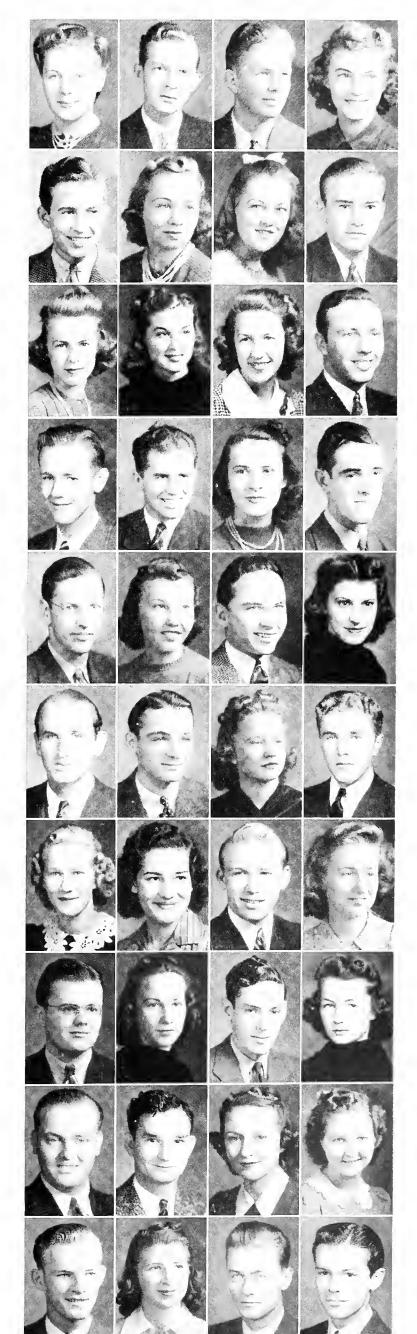




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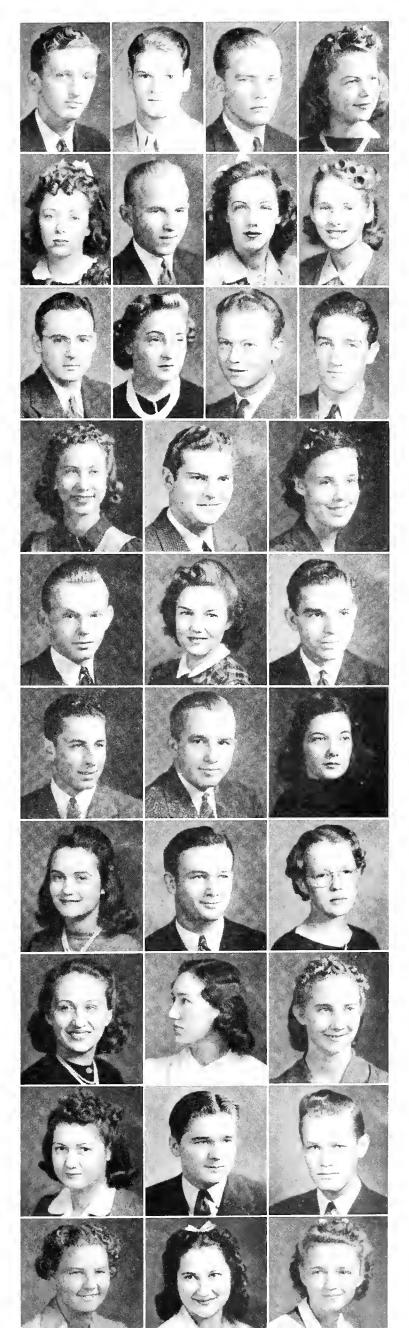
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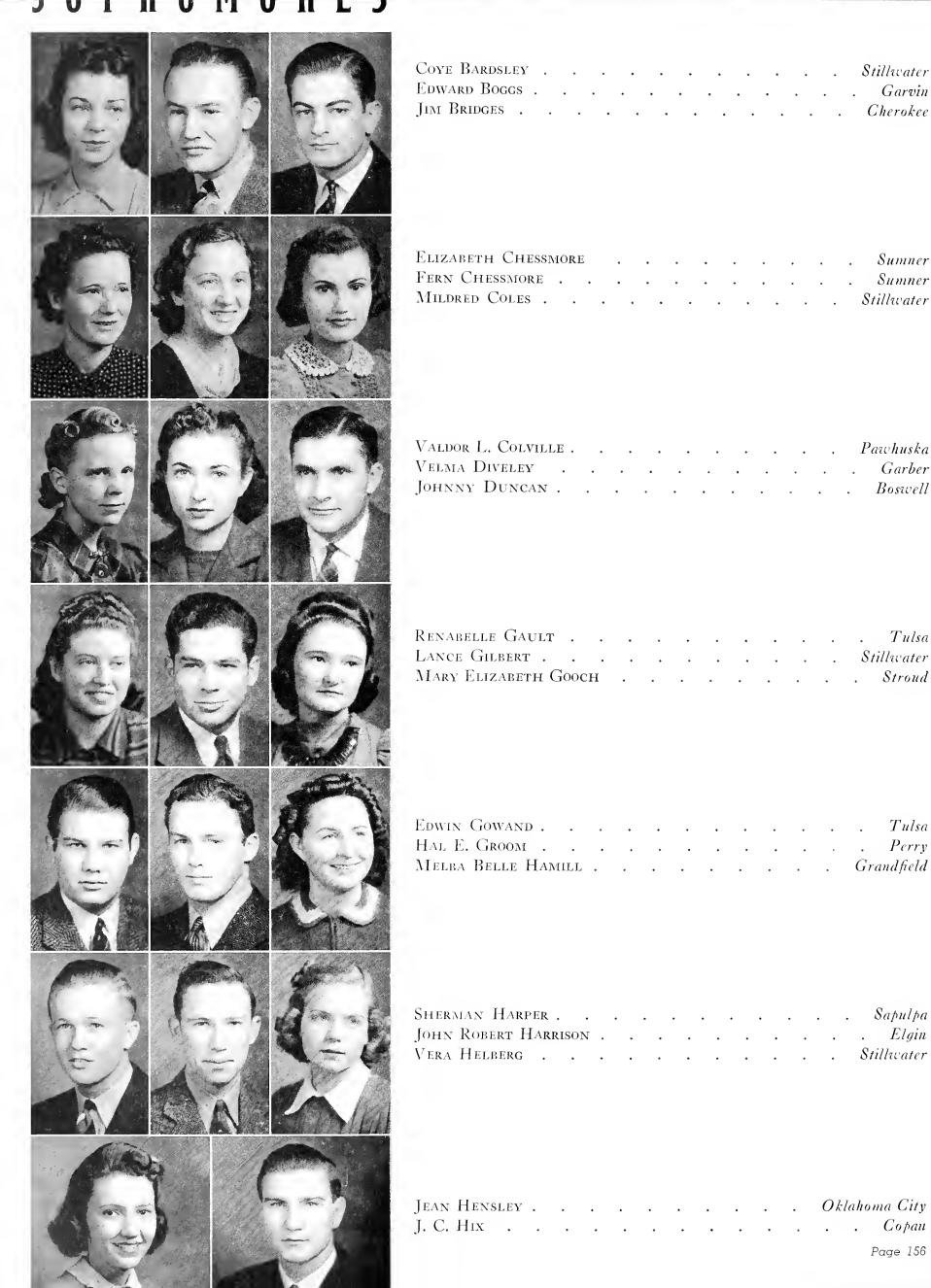


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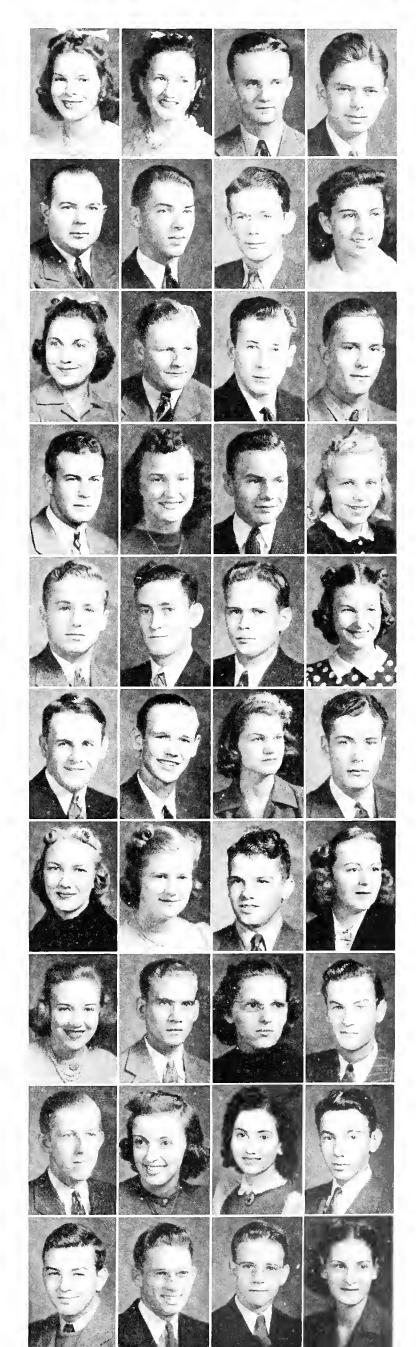
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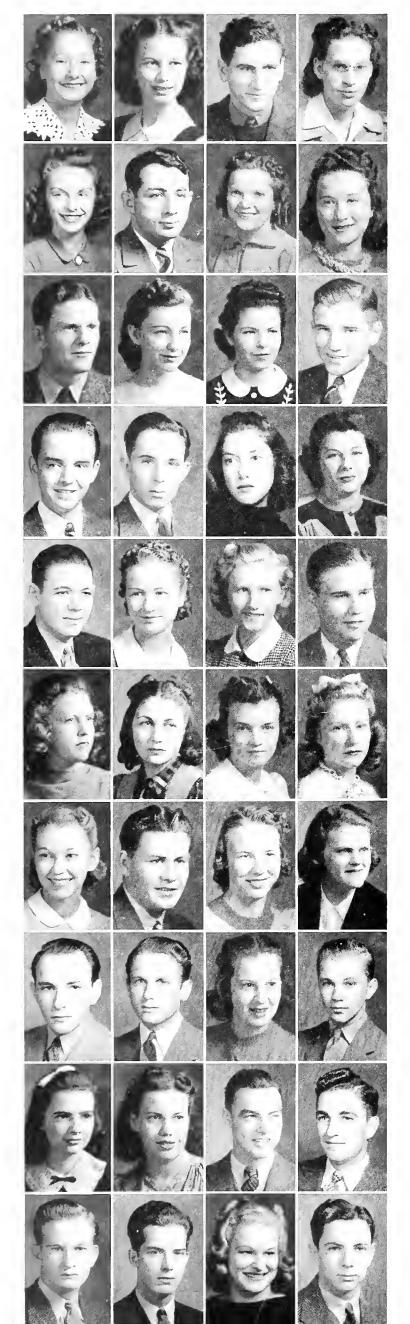


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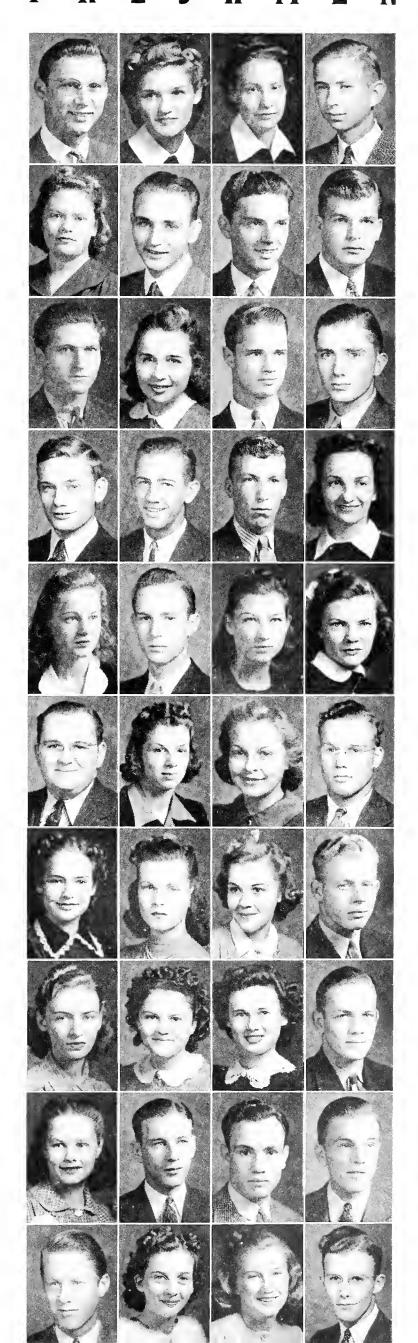
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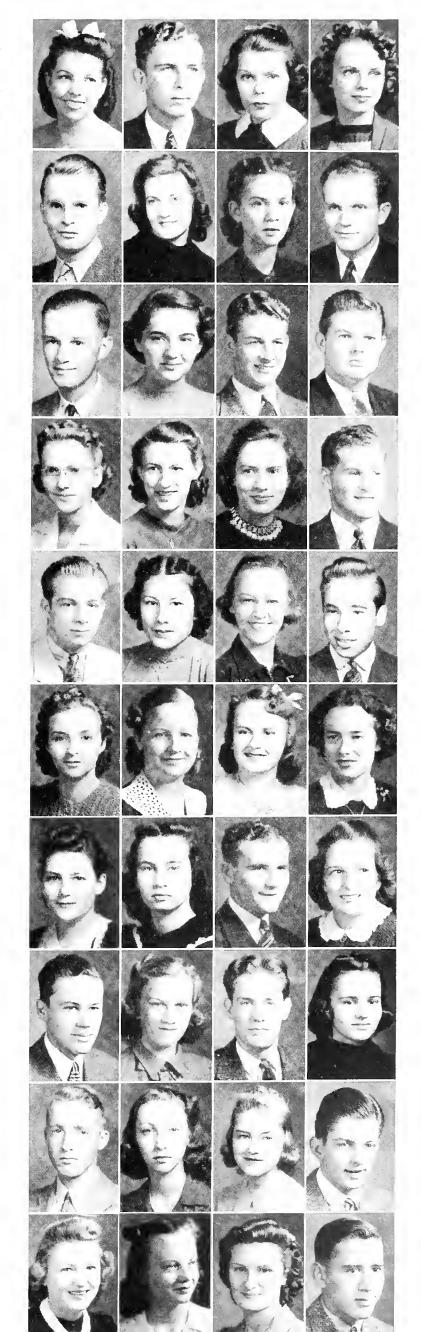
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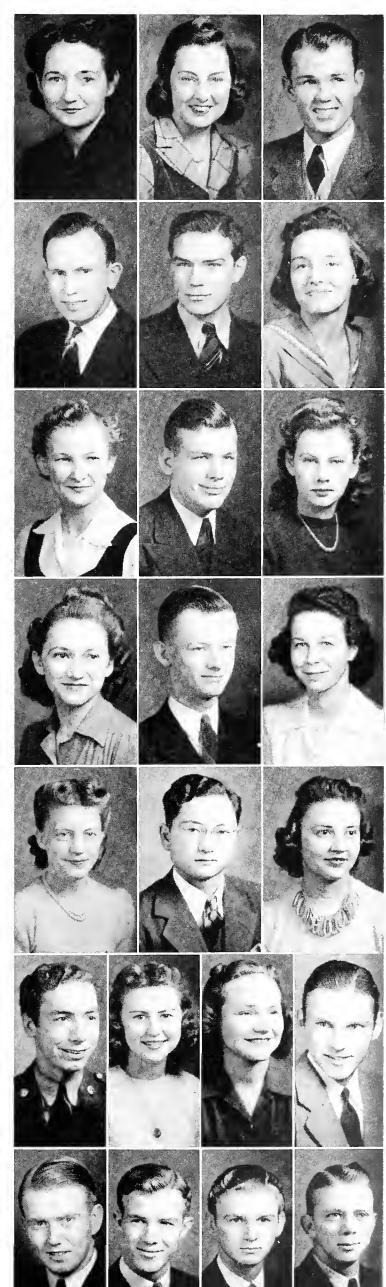


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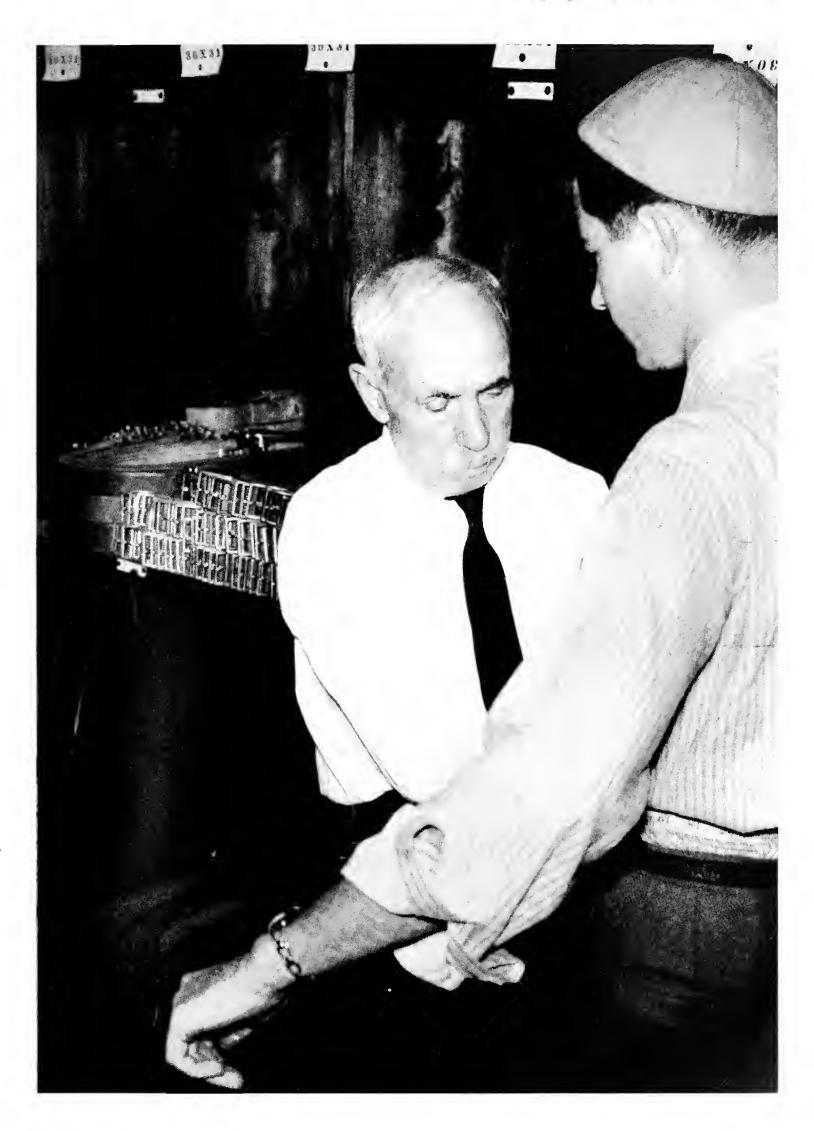
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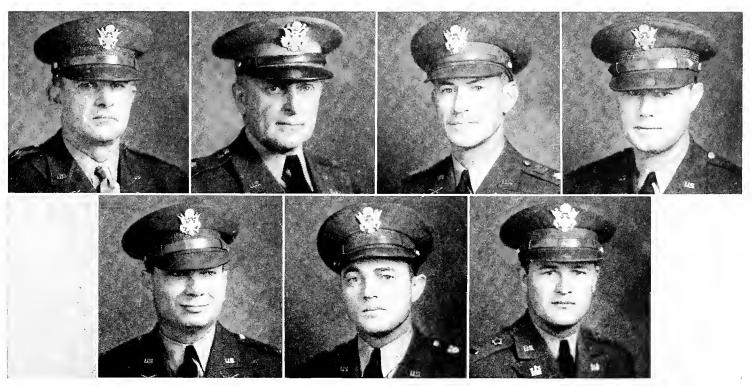
The ROTC Unit was established at Oklahoma A. and M. under the Morrill Act. The military department, in a period of fifty years, has grown into one of the best cadet corps produced in the "Great Southwest." Proof of the department's efficiency in military training is shown by the large number of officers which it has supplied to the Organized Reserve Corps and the U. S. Army. Many of these officers served in the past World War. Recently a considerable number of the newly commissioned Aggie officers were called to the Colors for one year of active duty in America's "all out for National Defense" preparations.

A fitting climax for the fifty year history of the military department, occurred when Lieutenant Colonel Harry B. Hilde-

brand took over active command of the department. Colonel Hildebrand, a former student at A. and M., received his primary military training here and saw action with the American Expeditionary Force during the World War. Other officers in the department are Lieutenant Colonel A. J. MacNab, Lieutenant Colonel Leslie W. Brown, Captain Paul W. Davis, Captain Hawthorne Davis and Lieutenant Paul E. McCrary, who have charge of the infantry instruction, both basic and advanced. Lieutenant Colonel Howard McYost and Lieutenant Hartsell H. Northington instruct the engineers. Captains P. W. Davis and H. Davis, Lieutenants P. E. McCrary and H. H. Northington are former Aggies.

### D. O. L. ... Instructors

Colonels A. J. MacNab and Leslie W. Brown, assisted by Lieutenant Paul McCrary, are in charge of the advance training for junior and senior officers in the infantry. Captains Paul W. Davis and Hawthorne Davis, assisted by Sergeant Kerbow, supervise the basic infantry training. Colonel M. Yost and Lieutenant Hartsell Northington, assisted by Sergeants Sewell and Cross, have charge of both basic and advance training in the engineer unit. Sergeant Sexton is the coach for the rifle team and marksmanship. Records of the cadets and all other secretarial work is handled by Sergeant Shaw and Mrs. Smith, assisted by Student workers.



Top Row, left to right—Lt. Col. A. J. MacNab, Lt. Col. Howard M. Yost, Lt. Col. Leslie W. Brown, Capt. Hawthorne Davis

Bottom Row—Capt. Paul W. Davis, Lt. Paul E. McCrary, Lt. Hartsell H. Northington

Four battalions of infantry and two of engineers, each battalion consisting of three companies, together with the military band make up the corps, which is divided, due to limited facilities, into two units drilling on separate afternoons, in addition to two morning drills each week. Recently the department obtained permission to use the large area around Boomer Lake for maneuvers, this and the new two hour afternoon drill each week gives the cadets more time and space to learn a more intensified and extensive course in military science and tactics.

The basic courses of the infantry and engineers are much the same, the engineers studying some primary engineering courses. In the advanced courses the groups specialize, the infantry studying combat principles and tactics and the engineers road and bridge building, fortifications and similar subjects. Summer training camp between the junior and senior years give the students a chance to put into practice the theories they have learned.

#### CADET OFFICERS...



Top Row, left to right—Adams, Allen, Atteberg, Barth, Beechboard, Bell, Bergman, Bowles, Bowling, Bishop Middle Row—Bradford, Brink, Brooks, Brown, Bruce, Burlison, Burnham, Byrd, Canode, Carson Bottom Row—Case, Chandler, Clark, Clark, Clark, Clayton, Cochrane, Coggins, Cooksey

The men who take the advanced course in military science believe that in military training is to be found a persuasive example of a democracy, organized and working. A democracy is a society in which cooperation is a primary principle and where only the necessary subordination is practiced. Cadet officers have learned how best to exercise the command that is theirs by training in basic military courses. This cooperation between men who have taken orders and the men who are now learning how to take them is for the common good, which is the real goal of democracy.

In the stories of campaigns, individual and mass courage, the deeply rooted respect for our country and its flag, students of military science find a realization of ideals which are not to be found elsewhere.

It is through a study of these qualities that the foundation is built for respect for moral and physical courage, for law and order, for the freedom which our flag protects and the personal rights it exemplifies. Without these qualities the structure of citizenship will crumble and we will not have that democracy for which we have always striven.

#### ... From Seniors' Ranks



Top Row, left to right—Coppman, Craft, Cravens, Crow, Cunningham, Cunningham, Darrow, Davis, Deen, Drown Middle Row—Eisenschmidt, England, Faubian, Foley, Fox, Gorman, Gathers, Gibbons, Gibson, Goodwin Bottom Row—Griffith, Gumm, Hardesty, Hartley, Helena, Hensen, Herndon, Hesser, Ilill

Because of the realization of the essential qualities of manhood developed by participation in military drill, outstanding students in military are picked each spring as eligible to enroll in the advanced course. Besides the regular theory hours the cadet officers each week spend an average of two hours drilling the basic students. This is in addition to the Tuesday and Thursday afternoon periods, to one of which sections each military student belongs. On such special occasion as Armistice day and federal inspection the whole cadet corps is assembled for display and a military parade.

The Armistice day parade and the federal inspection are annual affairs for the military students. The parade is started on the campus and they march through the main streets of Stillwater and then return back to the armory on the campus. The federal inspection is held in the spring of the year. At this time, each phase of classroom work and parade technique is carefully inspected. The A. and M. cadet corps has received the "excellent" rating for the last eight years.

In the summer camp, following the junior year, the cadets live the life of a private, learning their military from the basic essentials on up. The infantry at

#### OFFICERS CLUB...



Top Row, left to right—Hocker, Holcombe, Holderby, Holderman, Horner, Huffine, Johnson, Jones, Karlovich, Kastle Middle Row—Smith, Kennemar, Kirkpatrick, Lamb, Laughlin, Laughlin, Lierman, Liles, Lindley, Lindlon Bottom Row—Little, Lowe, Lucas, McCullum, McKee, McKinsey, McMellan, Mabry, Miller

Camp Bullis, in Texas, and the engineers at Fort Logan, Colorado, put into practice the military principles they have learned during the first three years of their ROTC work. In some respects the two training periods are alike. Both engineers and infantry spend some time on weapons. Then each specializes in its own branch, the infantry in military tactics of offensive and defensive warfare, and the engineers in demolitions, bridge building, etc.

Camp Bullis is in the historic part of Texas first settled by the Spaniards. Six weeks is really too short a period to spend in this beautiful part of our nation. Fort Logan, near Denver, is also in one of the beauty spots of our country. This six weeks period is one that is remembered by every advanced ROTC student as one of the highspots of his college career, offering him the benefits of a summer training course in military and citizenship training and at the same time a most pleasant vacation with pay.

The Officers' Club proper, to which all advanced students belong, is both a service and social organization. Under its president, who this year is Bob Mc-Kinsey, the organization seeks to further knowledge of military which will be of

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Bottom Row—Robertson, Scheffel, Schroeder, Spurlock, Shadowens, Shanklin, Shaklee, Shumate, Sisney

most benefit to Oklahoma A. and M. College. Socially, the club holds several smokers each year, during which time it carries on the active business of the society and prepares for the annual military ball, which is regarded as one of the main social events of the year. It has all the traditional color and prestige of military life. Other officers of the organization who played an important part in carrying out these activities include Norris Shumate, vice-president; Bob Vincent, secretary-treasurer, Zack Prewitt and John Holcombe, social chairmen.

In nineteen thirty-nine the cadet corps decided to elect two honorary cadet-colonels. One for the infantry unit and another for the engineer unit. Since that time it has become a tradition to elect honorary cadet-colonels for each unit. In both the infantry and the engineers the honorary cadet-colonel was selected this year through a special ballot by the different units. Dorothy Reynolds was chosen by the infantry and Margaret Muse became the honorary commander of the engineers. These officers are present in the reviewing stands during parades and ceremonies and add a touch of color to the parade ground.

This year's cadet-colonels for the infantry and engineering corps are Don

### Sponsors Social Affairs . . .



Top Row, left to right—Skinner, Skinner, Smith, Smith, Snow, Sosseman, Spangler, Stewart, Stiger, Talbutt Middle Row—Tims, Trogdon, Turner, Vincent, Walker, Warkentin, Welch, White, White, Whitemore Bottom Row—Wicker, Wiley, Williams, Willis, Wilson, Wilson, Winters, Wurtz, Young, Younger

Shanklin, cadet-colonel for the infantry, and Herman Warkentin, cadet-colonel in the engineer corps. These two cadet officers hold the highest honor that can be attained by any advanced student during his military training at Oklahoma A. and M. Their duties as cadet-colonels are similar to those of a full-fledged Colonel in the regular army, but their scope of authority lies within the cadet corps.

In the spring the senior cadet officers are eligible for commissions in the officers reserve corps. These men keep up their training through correspondence courses and summer training periods. As long as this training and correspondence work is kept up the commission of higher ranks in the reserve corps are given to them. Whenever possible, meetings of reserve officers are held locally at regular intervals for the purpose of instruction. In this way not only are benefits gained in a military way from the subjects discussed, but contacts are made that often prove valuable in civilian life. It should be remembered that the completion of the ROTC training as an advanced cadet officer is not the end of a student's military training, but only the beginning of his military career whether he becomes active in the U. S. Army or becomes a member of the officers reserve corps. In either case this training will prove to be a valuable asset to him in his future life.

# ... SCABBARD-BLADE

Scabbard and Blade, national honorary military organization for advanced R. O. T. C. students, was founded at the University of Wisconsin in the fall of 1904 by five cadets. These men saw a need for an organization to unite in closer relationship the students of like interests and ambitions of military departments of the various universities and colleges. From this small group a nation-wide organization has grown, taking its place as a leader in military affairs in civilian communities. "K" Company, 2nd regiment, the local chapter, was founded on this campus in 1920. Membership into Scabbard and Blade is based on military interest, proficiency, good fellowship, and leadership. Scabbard and Blade has become the nation's foremost college military organization. The service bar of the order is a red and blue bar, superimposed with five gold stars. The badge is the American Eagle. At present there are 86 chapters, 33,500 members, and 19 alumni chapters. Scabbard and Blade holds that military is an obligation of good citizenship. Officers of the year are: Clark W. Porter, Captain; Earl Willard Lamb, First Lieutenant; Elza Sisney, Second Lieutenant; Charles Howk, First Sergeant; Charles Craven, Mess Sergeant; Bob McKinsey, Clerk; Captain Hawthorn Davis, Military Advisor; Lieutenant Colonel Ren G. Saxton, Faculty Advisor. Activities of the year include the annual formal dinner dance, and two informal smokers. New pledges to the organization this year are: Merle Allen, Eugene Bell, Bob Bradford, Arlie Bowling, Harold Craft, Jacques Cunningham, J. D. Jones, Fred Lemons, Curt Lindly, Oliver Little, Wallace McMillan, Charles Scheffel, August Weigl, Bill White, Kenneth Whittemore, James Young, Glen Loewen, Vincent Watts, Russel Thomas, Harold Stebbins, Bob Karlovich, Carl Davis, Syl Walker, Loyd Dean, Dill Talbutt.

Top Row, left to right—Ager, Bessire, Craven, Foley, Gathers, Goodwin, Hienrick, Jones. Middle Row—Lamb, Lucas, Oursler, Pinney, Porter, Mahurin, Marshall, Montin Bottom Row—McKinsey, Schroeder, Sisney, Smith, Spangler, Tims, Treadway, Winters



### PERSHING RIFLES . . .

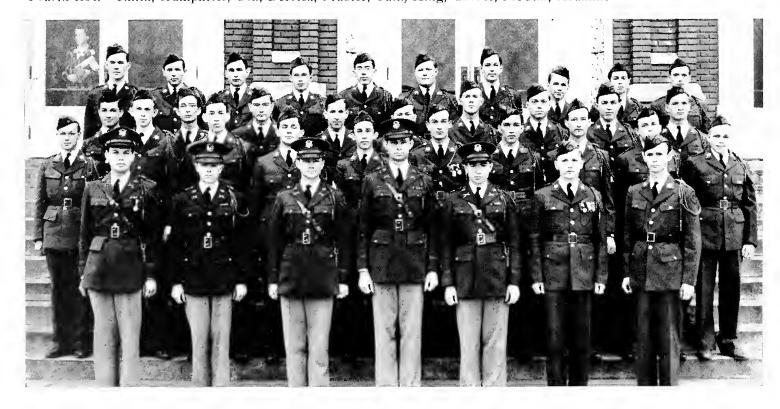
Company "C" of the 7th Regiment of Pershing Rifles has had its name altered three times since it was first organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus in 1929 under the society, "Fourragere". Chartered as Company "A" of the 5th Regiment of Pershing Rifles, national honorary basic military fraternity, on April 22, 1932, the charter was changed to Company "C" of the 2nd Regiment, and the following year the present charter was issued.

Proficiency in military science and tactics based on high standards of drill and discipline characterize the organization of Pershing Rifles. Founded at the University of Nebraska in 1896, Pershing Rifles bears the name of its founder, John J. Pershing, who was at that time commandant of cadets. During the Spanish-American War a military unit composed solely of Pershing Riflemen received distinction as a result of successful maneuvers and action.

Acting as ushers and being responsible for the presentation of the colors during home football games, Pershing Rifles also had charge of the flag presentation ceremonies conducted at the athletic events held in the fieldhouse. The military unit has charge of the flag raised daily in front of Whitehurst Hall.

Prominent in service rendered to the college and social activities, Pershing Rifles has a membership of approximately sixty members and pledges. Traditional activities of the organization include "Courtesy Week" which is a period of pledge training planned to prepare the pledge to understand the true significance of military science and tactics. Each day distinctive programs are outlined emphasizing the work and play of military action. Unique pledge activities included guarding girls' residence halls and sororities, eating a square meal, cutting square corners, counting cadence, and sounding the time upon entering campus buildings.

Front Row, left to right—Vincent, Clayton, Pinney, Lucas, Coggins, Helena, Brown Second Row—Chambers, Dysinger, Benbrook, Holliman, Sisney, Hollis, Lehman, Meadows, Calloway, Whisenhurst Third Row—Rodgers, Godwin, Hix, Ladensohn, Blackwood, Ulrich, Wurtz, Bookout, Dalton Fourth Row—Smith, Humphries, Cox, Derrick, Frazier, Cain, King, Glover, McCall, Krumme



#### ... Builds espri de corps

Traditional pledge activity and high point of "Courtesy Week" is the sham battle staged between components of Pershing Riflemen upon the banks of Theta Pond which is a virtual No-Man's Land. Morning and evening the assembled pledges provide the military courtesy of raising and lowering the flag at present arms. Climax of "Courtesy Week" is an all-night maneuver based on strategy studied during the previous week, and results finally into a drill-down from which the best drilled pledge is chosen. Final action before initiation is a military examination which ascertains the degree of military proficiency and understanding which the pledges have attained. At the fall initiation, Sergeant A. L. Ramsey of the military faculty was received as an honorary member of Pershing Rifles.

Participating in a "Sham Battle" involving basic military strategy and maneuvers at the local city park, Pershing Rifles experimented with modern methods of warfare and tested the efficiency and resourcefulness of a foot squad this spring. Citizens displayed interest in the method and technique of modern military science.

Winner of the Pershing Rifle Small-bore Rifle Trophy for two consecutive years, the rifle team of the organization will shoot this year for its third win which would mean permanent acquisition of the cup.

Social function of the Pershing Rifles is their annual Formal Military Ball. Held this year in Fiscus Hall, the theme of the decorations was "Old Glory", and the hall was festooned with a variety of flags including the National and Regimental Colors and a huge American flag almost as old as the State of Oklahoma. The blue field of the flag contained only 46 stars representing at its making the same number of states in the nation.

Officers of the Pershing Rifles are Captain Robert W. Vincent, 1st Lt. Charles Clayton, 2nd Lt. E. R. Sisney, 2nd Lt. H. S. Riggs, 2nd Lt. Frank Pinney, 2nd Lt. Clyde T. Brown, and 1st Sgt. Douglas Benbrook.

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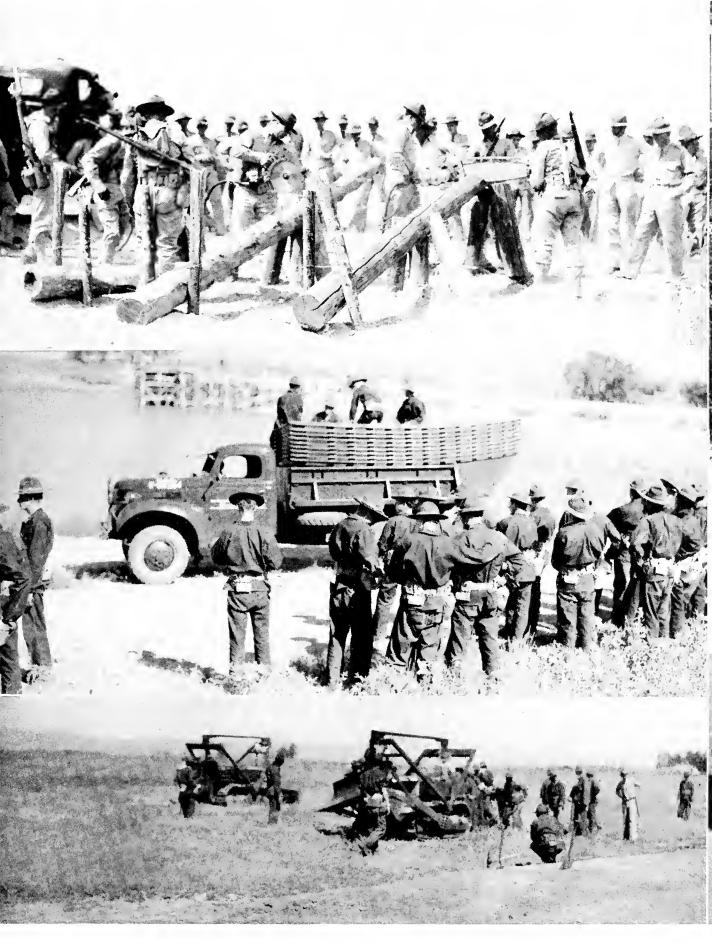
VINCENT















CAMPUS

#### Campus Capers . . .



Oklahoma A. and M. College came to life with a moral victory walkout prompted by that last minute rally in the O. U. game. For one afternoon the campus looked and acted like the thing that all freshmen expect—all play and no work.

The social season included dances from the rags of the Hobo Dance to the neat evening attire of the Murray Hall formal. Every fraternity, sorority, and dormitory sponsors several dances during the school year. Other week-ends, the social calendar is filled with Student Senate, "O" Club, and other organization dances.

Oklahoma A. and M. campus is unusual in its presentation of week-day social hours. Each of the girls' dormitories and sororities has open house from seven until eight o'clock each evening during the school week. This is one of the many factors contributing to keeping the campus one of the most democratic in the southwest.

This year student lyceum programs were introduced to the student body. This free entertainment was given by various students working with the A. and M. entertainment bureau. Other programs were presented by the Men's and Women's Glee Clubs, Symphonic Band and Orchestra, Choral Club Concerts and visiting lecturers.

The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. and the various churches sponsor numerous social activities.

A complete campus social program is presented so that every student has an opportunity to enjoy college life.

- Bob Montgomery with his pipe and his
- pet rat . . . Fred Fulton gazing at
- both a book and a picture . . . K. D.
- girls turn heads as boy retrieves trou-
- sers from their doorstep . . . Theta's
- and a car . . . Cordell Hall boys sleep
- soundly . . . the banks of Theta pond
- in the spring . . . Breedlove and Mul-
- lendore take a stroll.

## ... from Social View





# ... Campus life, interesting



The banks of Theta prove very inviting to Henry Brotherton and others . . . Ed Cleveland demonstrates his ability to handle a tractor . . . Margaret Swank leads the parade at the Homecoming football game . . . Some loyal Aggies really give O. U. a thorough threshing . . . Pi Phi's spin a web for Homecoming decorations . . . Maudie Morton and Tate Edmondson drink a coke on the go . . . Pi Phi's give a rush party . . . Lloyd Hawkins squints at the cameraman.



#### Not all is work...



Back on September 16, a typical Oklahoma day with some dust and some wind and prospects for sudden change at most any time, classwork began for the A. and M. school term, 1940-41.

But shortly before that time the brethren and sistern out along fraternity and sorority row had more than outdone themselves by bringing forth an exceptional crop of freshman pledges—normally amazed and somewhat unaware of what they were in, but just as lovable as ever.

All the usual tricks were played on the unsuspecting "first yearers" and they took it in traditional manner. With a shrug of the shoulders and a sigh, they put out, "I guess this is college life."

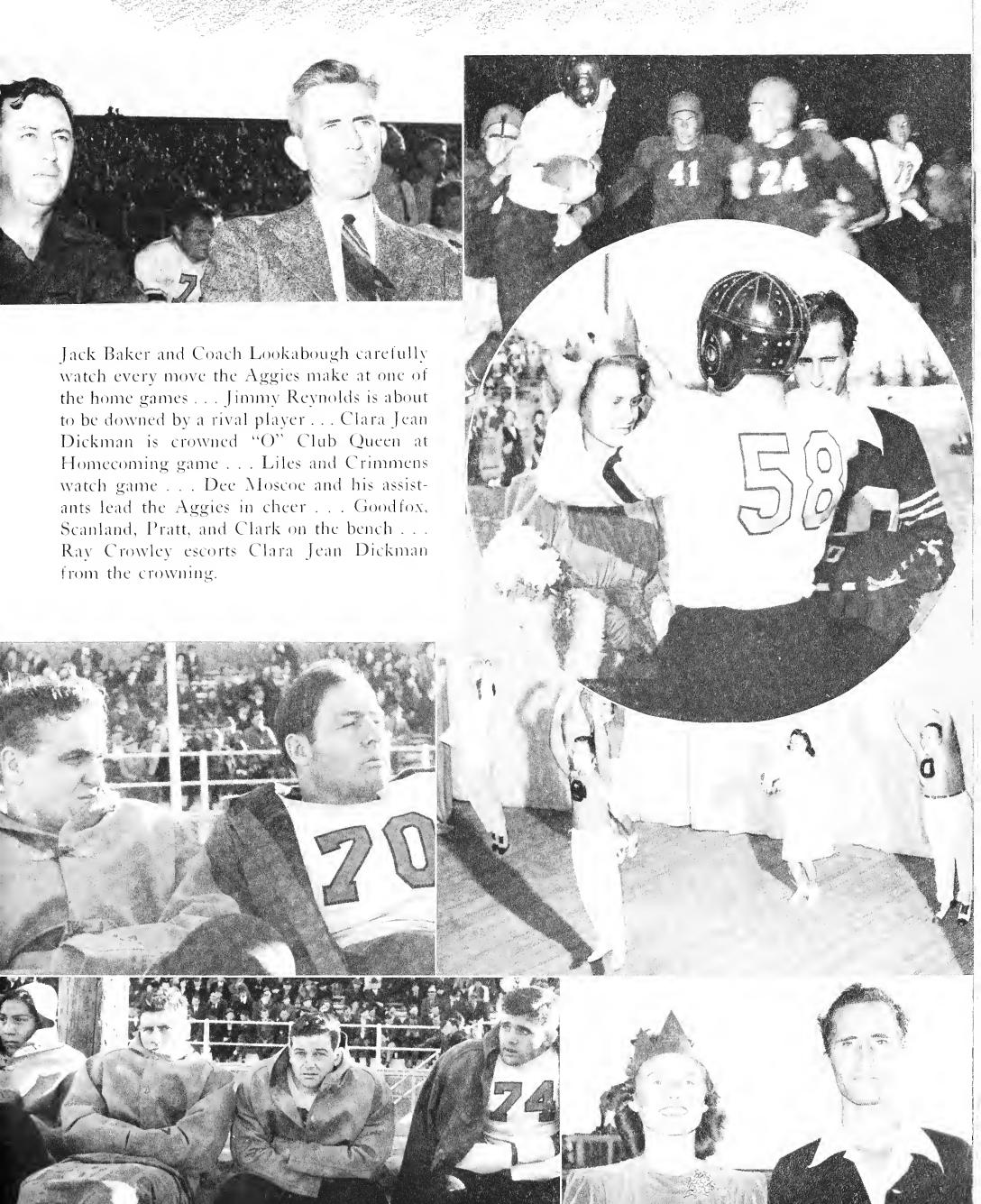
The social activities got under way about the 21st when the "O" Club fellers threw their first mixer, and the Sigma Nu's had a real house party.

Skimming over several Pan-American student forums, home economics teas, some foreign films, a football game or two, and oh yes—the Sig Ep house dance, we hit upon that period known as open house.

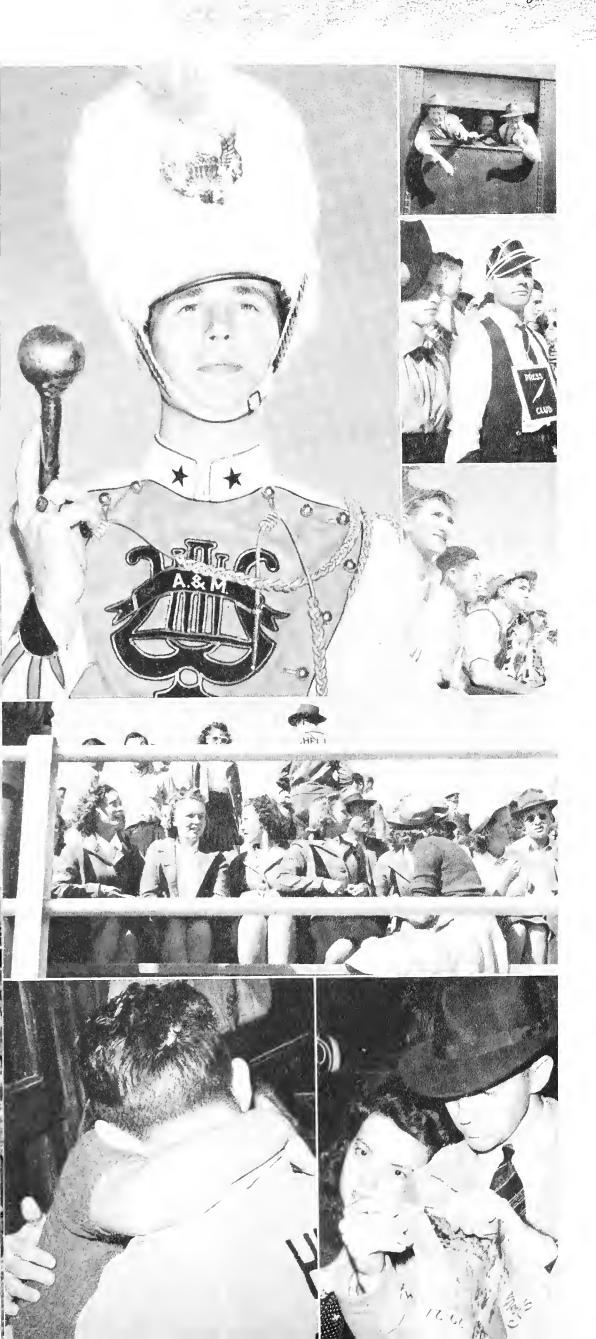
The sad ordeal referred to as open house, as usual, consisted mainly of clasping a bunch of clammy palms and mumbling a gob of names. After that time everybody had a feeling of that "Hello brother, fellow Aggie" spirit since they had been officially introduced. They would have felt it pretty soon anyway without all the formal mess, but it's a traditional hangover and probably here to stay.

Charles Owens, Freshman president, introduces Martha Belle Hadden as the newly elected Freshman Queen . . . A couple really swing out at one of the "O" Club dances . . . Old-time saloon is featured at the Sig Ep Bowery Brawl . . . A good place to sit . . . Zeta Tau's entertain guests.

# ... during an Aggie day



## Some days, it's pep . . .



One day the Aggies played a football game down the way at a place known as Oklahoma University. In the way of a score there wasn't so much for the boys from A. and M., but even if they did just win a moral victory, they still scared something out of those Sooners by scoring more in the last few minutes than was ever deemed possible by anyone anywhere. At any rate, most of the students had a real trip out of it and a lot of fun.

Then the boys at Kappa Sigma came through with a real house dance the same day that the Farmhouse boys had a hay ride, the Sigma Nu's a picnic, and the student senate a pep dance.

Remember the S. A. E. Sailor Dance and the all-church social on the same day that the Aggie footballers skunked Creighton at Omaha? And right after the Acacia pledge dance Ruth Ann Hoke, Pi Beta Phi pledge, was named beauty queen at the Water Pageant which featured pretties from all over the campus.

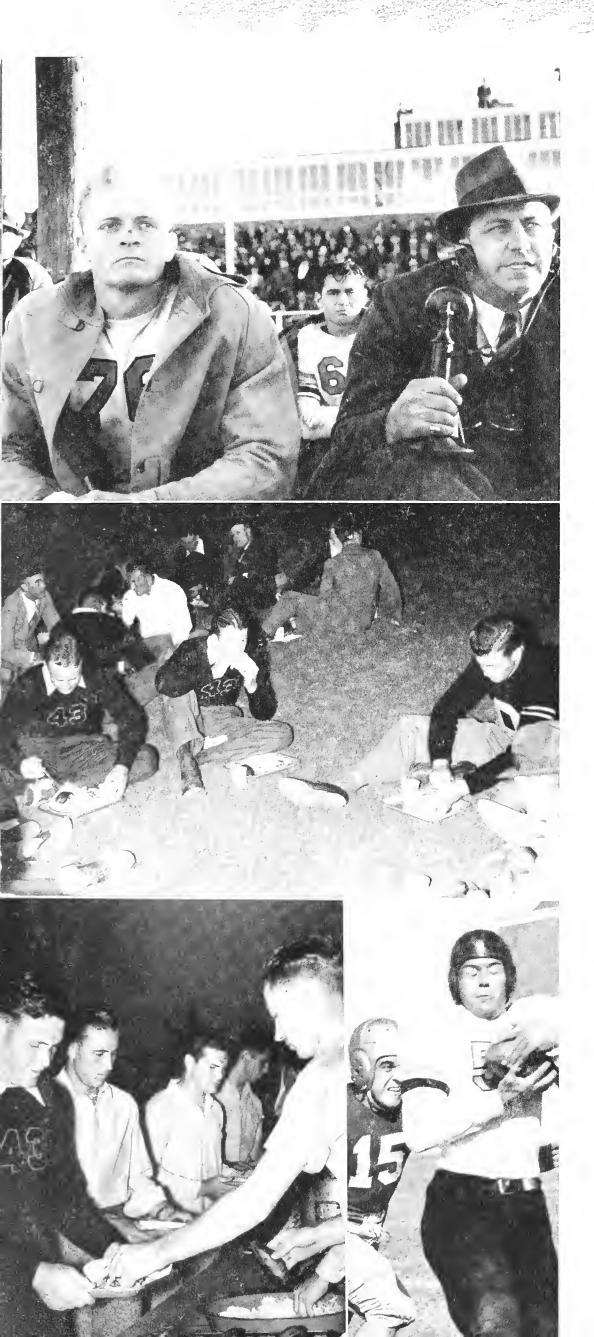
And who could ever forget that period before the Lambda Chi Hobo Dance when all of them tried and some grew beards, but it was a right good dance, and what about that Theta Kappa Phi one built around "The Leaves of Brown"?

The Chekhov theatre troup gave students Shakespeare and made them like it in one of the best received Allied Arts programs of the year's series. Their presentation of "Twelfth Night" was repeated by popular campus demand.

Jimmie Baker, drum major of Aggie band . . . Page and Munday thumb way on Aggie-O. U. special . . . Hawkins at football game . . . Ruf-Nex scurves show Aggie spirit at game . . . Peppers on front row of footing section . . . A Hell Hound goes into action on Aggie special to Norman . . . Holcombe and Green read about Aggie rally in closing minutes.



# Homecoming draws big crowds...



Shortly after the mid-semester breakdown came "Mother and Dad's Day" when the Aggies forgot about college fun for a little while and paid tribute to some deserving folks—the moms and pops of Aggieland.

Founders of the institution came treking back on one of the coldest nights during the winter to work on preparations for that GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY.

And the O'Collegian fellows conceived the idea of a Christmas program for the entire student body just before vacation. Along with genial "Cy" Perkins they filled the fieldhouse with real seasonal spirit—and the function featured the college symphonic choir with a long to be remembered arrangement of "Jingle Bells".

Just before official Christmas vacation came the Inter-fraternity pledge dance, after which Aggies started traveling homeward for Christmas dinners and some sleep, and maybe a spat with the "steady back home".

The few Aggies who reside in Still-water and some that couldn't make a trip home for one reason or another got together on the situation and kept each other from being lonesome during the Christmas vacation.

Yeah, and the student lyceum programs played quite an important part throughout the semester, and on their premiere presentation to the campus proved that the arts and sciences dean, Schiller Scroggs, had an idea and carried it through for the good of the entire stu-

Diamond Jack Faubion, Muss Darrow, and Coach Baker intently interested in Aggie game . . . football boys tackle a lunch at the Football Banquet . . . Green, Herald and the boys line up for signals or rather lunch at the Banquet . . . Reynolds snags a pass while in the air but it looks as if he has determined opposition.

# ... and social life is full



# First semester ends ...



dent body, and the townspeople too. Everyone agreed that it was just about the swellest free deal brought out in quite some time.

And the Aggies took over another affair that rightfully belonged to them when members of the Press Club made a deal to help sponsor the Aggie Victory Dance in Tulsa. Until last fall proceeds of the affair had gone to Tulsa school projects, but from now on the Aggies get their part. Initial efforts was not so profitable financially but that can be worked out next year.

The usual number of rummage sales and other worn out money raising schemes were carried through by campus organizations in a feeble effort to swell club treasuries.

And the usual crop of pledges from said organizations amused students and faculty members with strange regalia and rather unusual actions—all for the sake of the "honor" organizations. Some joined too many and resulted with inactivity in all of them, but that happens every year.

The college band had a concert and there were the Pi Phi and the Farm House formals just before the last of the semester rolled around.

And came the finals—nothing much happened during the two weeks before while students stayed in their rooms trying to learn a three hour course in three days, or something like that.

Then one day Truman Mikles, editor of the O'Collegian, got his feet on the ground and walked away.

Ed Dwyer and Frank Grasanti of the Theta Kappa Phi house are in high spirits at the Lambda Chi Hobo Dance . . . Barney Brown and date look very stiff and bored . . . Chios are very entertaining . . . His short haircut doesn't seem to affect his speed with this woman . . . Bob Jones and Mary Rutledge at A. D. Pi party . . . Carl Blackwell gazes at his cards.



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Mr. F. L. Holton, Editor The 1941 Redskin Oklahoma A. & M. College Stillwater, Oklahoma

March 11, 1941

Dear Mr. Holton:

Thank you for your nice letter of the 23rd.

We are glad to send you the names of the students from Oklahoma A. & M., whose biographies will appear in the 1940-41 edition of WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.

Marjorie Johnson Ernest Berousek F. L. Holton Byron Kirkpatrick Betty Jonas Bob Diggs Brown Bob Morford Dorothy Jones Wm. J. Cole Jean Maggard Robert Ealy James Pollock Creech Renolds Rosemary Tompkins Floyd Foley Robert Roberts Willard Holderby Grace Winterringer Helen Yandell

From a recent survey of the 600 Universities and Colleges who cooperate in this work, we find that in over 200 schools WHO'S WHO ranks first among the honorary organizations. We are proud of this in view of the fact that WHO'S WHO Was conceived just eight years ago, while many of the other organizations are much older.

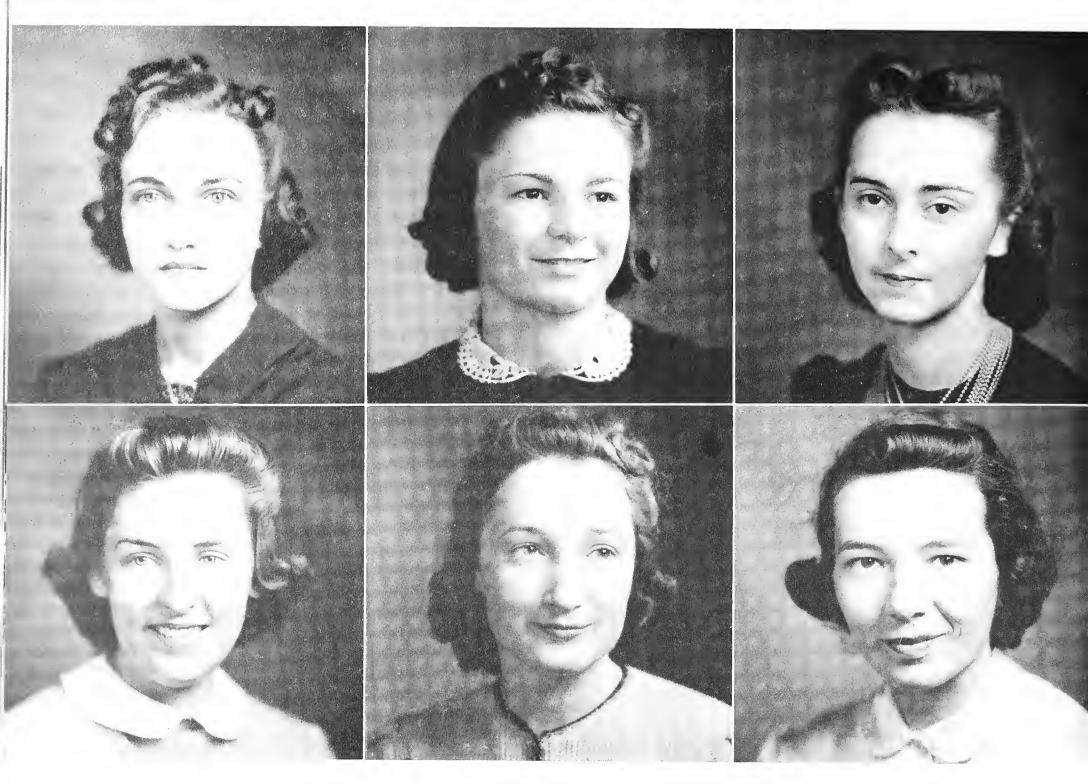
If we can be of any further help to you in publishing THE REDSKIN, don't hesitate to write us.

Sincerely yours,

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Marjorie Johnson, home economics, Waynoka, president of Mortar Board, 1940-41, president Willard Hall, 1940-41, vice-president Willard Hall, 1939-40, member of Omicron Nu, member of Kappa Phi, member of Y. W. C. A., member of Wesley Foundation Cabinet, executive board of Association of Women Students, member of Home Economics Club and Aggiettes.

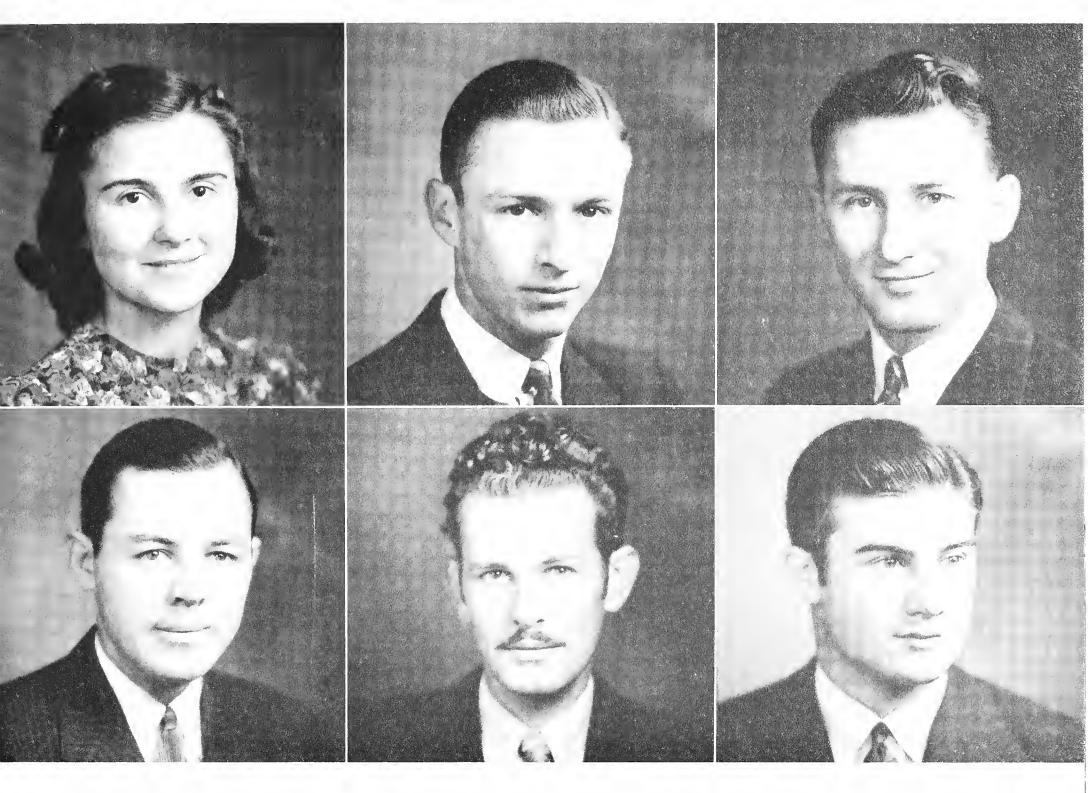
Betty Jonas, commerce, Carney, president of Epsilon Pi, 1940-41, secretary of Mortar Board, 1940-41, commerce student advisory committee, secretary Chi Omega, 1939-40, house manager Chi Omega, 1939-40, legislative board Association of Women Students, representative on Student Governing Committee, Band Queen, 1938-39, judicial board of Association of Women Students, 1940-41, member of Peppers, Newman Club, and Order of Gregg Artists.

Dorothy Jones, education, Tulsa, president of Association of Women Students, 1940-41, membership chairman of Mortar Board, 1940-41, member of Association of Women Students Judicial Board, 1939-40, second vice-president of Pi Zeta Kappa, 1940-41, member of Orange Quill, Kappa Delta Pi, Murray Hall house council, 1938-39, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 1940-41.

Jean Maggard, arts and sciences, Perry, president of Kappa Alpha Theta, 1940-41, vice-president of Kappa Alpha Theta, 1939-40, member of Women's Panhellenic, 1938-39 and 1940-41, Mortar Board, 1940-41, member of Orange Quill, member of Orange and Black Quill.

Rosemary Tompkins, education, Stillwater, president of Y. W. C. A., 1940-41, vice-president of Chi Omega, treasurer of Mortar Board, member of Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 1939-40, executive board of Association of Women Students, 1940-41, member of Orange Quill and Orange and Black Quill, Kappa Delta Pi, vice-president of Peppers, Phi Kappa Phi.

Grace Winterringer, arts and sciences, Stillwater, president of Sigma Alpha Iota, 1940-41, vice-president of Sigma Alpha Iota, 1939-40, historian of Mortar Board, 1940-41, and Kappa Phi.



Helen Yandell, home economics, Ponca City, president of Home Economics Club, 1940-41, vice-president of Home Economics Club, 1939-40, hospitality chairman of Mortar Board, 1940-41, member of Omicron Nu, member of Orange Quill, member of Orange and Black Quill, state publicity chairman for Future Homemakers of Oklahoma, secretary of Y. W. C. A., 1939-40, vice-president of Y. W. C. A., 1940-41.

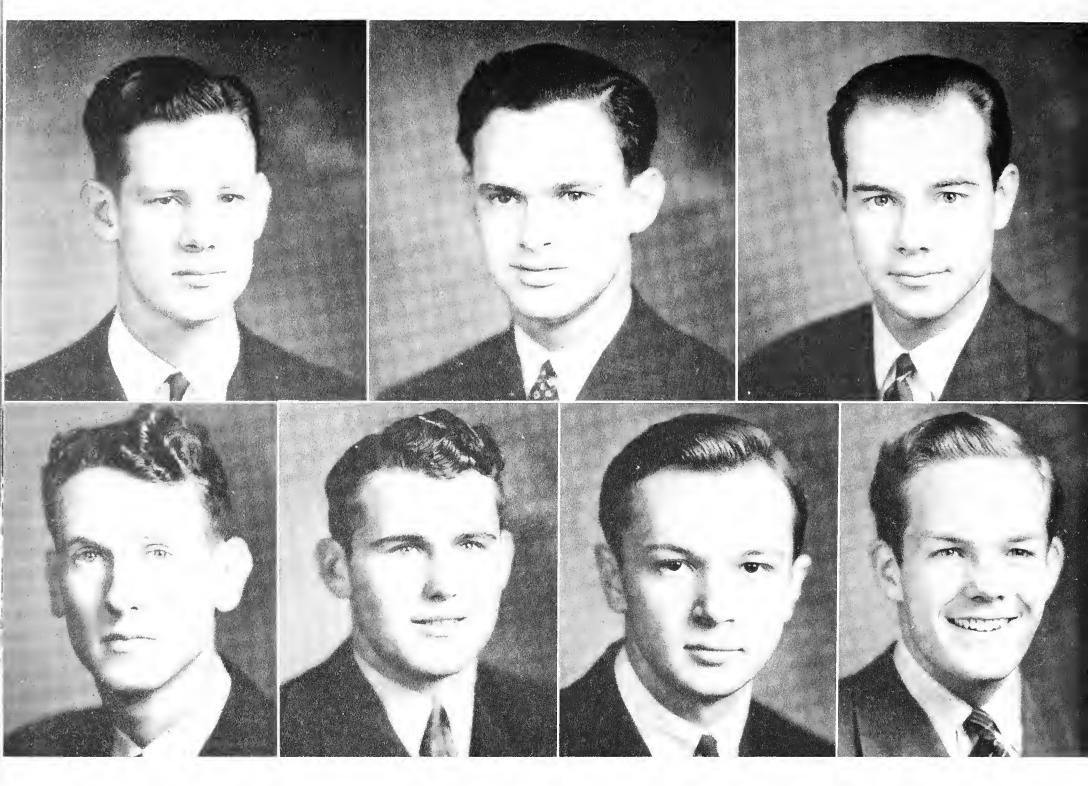
Bob Diggs Brown, engineering, Duncan, president of Sigma Nu, president of Sigma Tau, president of Pi Tau Sigma, member of the Student Senate from the school of Engineering, Blue Key, A. S. M. E., Officers Club and Engineering Society, Inter-fraternity council.

Ernest Berousek, agriculture, Oklahoma City, vice-president of Farmhouse fraternity, member of Blue Key, Hell Hounds, Alpha Zeta, Phi Sigma, won dairy cattle judging in the freshman-sophomore dairy cattle judging contests, Alpha Zeta judging award of senior dairy judging team.

Bill Cole, agriculture, Hydro, president of Alpha Gamma Rho, vice-president of Blue Key, chronicler of Alpha Zeta, Block and Bridle, Aggie Society, collegiate F. F. A., Hell Hounds, president of Players Club, Speakers Club, outstanding sophomore Collegiate F. F. A., outstanding junior in animal husbandry department, Inter-fraternity council, member of junior and senior livestock judging teams.

Robert Ealy, agriculture, Blackwell, member of Alpha Zeta, Aggie Council, Aggie Society, president of Horticulture Club, Phi Sigma, Phi Kappa Phi.

Floyd Foley, agriculture, Ninnekah, Sigma Chi, Ruf-Nex, president of Aggie Society, vice-president of Hanner Hall, Blue Key, secretary-treasurer of the Student Senate, president of Aggie Council, and Alpha Zeta.



Willard Holderby, commerce, Byron, Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, Commerce Student Council, member of the Student Senate from the school of Commerce, Gamma Sigma, member of Blue Key, Phi Kappa Phi.

F. L. Holton, commerce, Poteau, president of Lambda Chi Alpha, secretary of Lambda Chi Alpha, editor of the REDSKIN, vice-president of Commerce Student Council, vice-president of Inter-fraternity council, Blue Key, Press Club, and was a candidate for popularity prince, 1939-40, a member of League of Young Democrats.

Byron Kirkpatrick, engineering, Tulsa, treasurer of Sigma Nu, president of Phi Eta Sigma, president of Pi Mu Epsilon, member of Pi Tau Sigma, secretary of Sigma Tau, member of Blue Key, Lieut. Colonel, executive officer of cadet corps and was commissioned second lieutenant in the regular United States Army.

Bob Morford, agriculture, Amorita, twice president of Kappa Sigma, president of Alpha Zeta, president of junior class, business manager of the *Daily O'Collegian*, vice-president of Blue Key, Press Club, vice-president of Aggie Society, member of Inter-fraternity council, vice-president of Aggie Council, member of Pershing Rifles, Block and Bridle and Officers Club, junior-senior livestock judging team, and received the Danforth Award.

Jim Pollock, engineering, Mulhall, Phi Lambda Epsilon, Blue Key, Phi Eta Sigma, Sigma Tau, president of Beta Theta Pi fraternity, won O'Collegian bridge tournament, 1939.

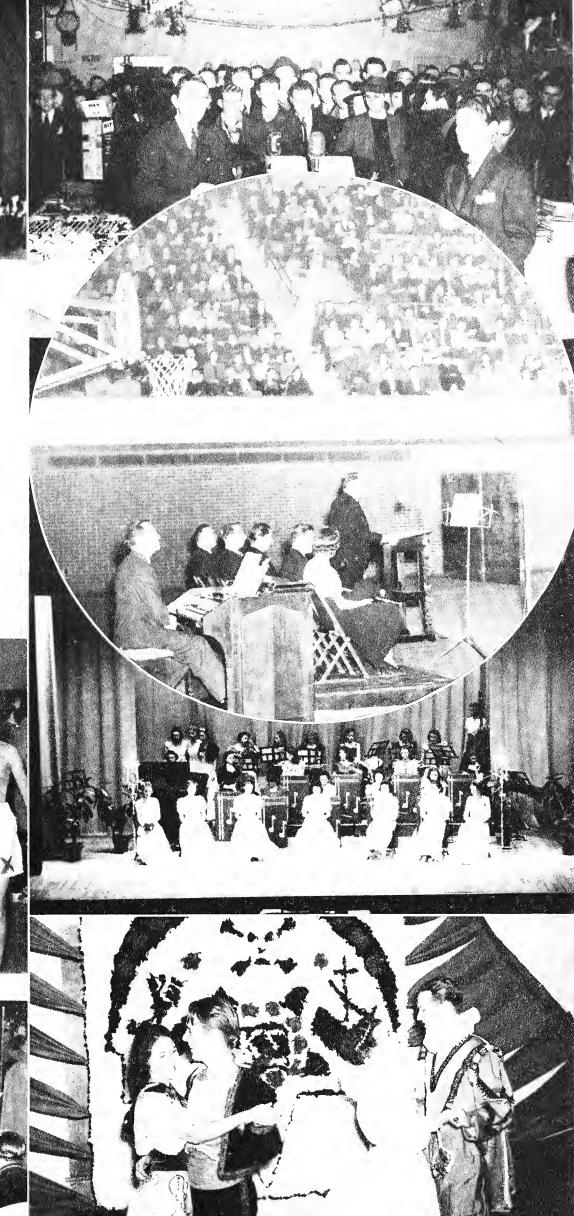
Creech Reynolds, arts and sciences, Stillwater, president of Symphonic Orchestra, all-American Youth Orchestra, Phi Eta Sigma, member of Phi Kappa Phi and a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Bob Roberts, commerce, Oklahoma City, vice-president of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, president of Y. M. C. A., Blue Key, president of Phi Eta Sigma, member of Alpha Kappa Psi.

#### ... Post Christmas days



Y. W. C. A. has its annual program in the college auditorium . . . Jimmy Baker and his Collegians broadcast from campus hangout with Leo Newsome acting as master of ceremonies for the weekly college show of the air over KTUL . . . Doctor Bennett addresses a large crowd at the Press Club's first annual college Christmas Party . . . One of the outstanding acts of the Co-ed Prom was the Lil Abner scene . . . College's all-girl orchestra entertains at student lyceum program . . . seven-thirty at a campus hangout . . . Gene Flesner and Marcia Francis at the Kappa Sig Mardi Gras Dance.



#### Second semester begins . . .



With a brand new system, featuring postponement of hearing the amount of your fees for a longer period of time, and giving opportunity to add and drop without so much trouble, the second semester of the school year quietly but officially began.

Activities got underway right at the start when the Press Club brought out the "Flunker Frolic". There the honored and the dishonored threw away cares for one real evening before getting down to the grind once more.

Chicago's Noble Cain returned by popular demand for the second annual high school choral festival on the Aggie campus. Cain, one of the nation's greatest composers, conductors, and arrangers, proved more popular than ever and trained over 1600 high school voices into real shape for the massed concert in Gallagher Hall. Visiting young ladies were well taken care of.

Then "Backwards Week" came along with the usual disappointments and surprises. L. J. Eggleston, Aggie courtman, was crowned "popularity Prince" by Doris Moore, one of the woman senators. Many self-termed "populars" were astounded at inactivity of telephones during the week. Others were satisfied.

Bridge enthusiasts signed up to represent their various houses in the annual O'Collegian bridge tournament, which after dragging on for many, many weeks showed cups handed out to Zeta Tau's Charla Faye Epperly and Ruth Bobo, and Alpha Gamma Rho's Rex Browne, and E. M. Barton. Over fifty teams of contract players went through the tourney which was run off in the Oasis. Pres-

Booker steps off as Redskin Queen candidate at Ball, while other candidates look on . . . pretzels for Aggies served by Genevieve Smith, waitress at Miles . . . K. D. gals are not afraid of bears, especially the Washington Bears . . . Dinner time after a busy day for the residents of Aggie Halls.

## ... and plans for Spring, too



## Spring season one of dances . . .



entation of cups was ably done by O'Coly editor, Joe Mavfield.

After a great deal of scheming and collecting, the Peppers and Hell Hounds made the desired trip to the Kansas basketball game. Up until a few hours before scheduled leaving time, the situation looked mighty black for the gurrulls, but officers came through with a lot of extra pleading and the trip was a success.

Aggie basketballers came through in fine style, bringing wins over both Kansas and Oklahoma universities in Gallagher Hall. And those Art Griffeth coached wrestlers went to another national championship in true Aggie style.

Charlie Miles started something new for Aggies when he brought forth the student broadcasts from his place of business. Feature of each program heard over KTUL in Tulsa was Jimmie Baker and his Collegians. Vocalist Margaret Muse was always a favorite as was Weldon Barnes, with his sports interviews.

Some members and pledges of Players Club left a question in the mind of the campus after their presentation of "Is Life Worth Living?" Guess it was pretty good though.

And the legislators came for a campus inspection tour (on the day of the O. U. basketball game.) Senators and representatives from the state house seemed to enjoy being shown around by appropriation conscious students. (It was one of the windiest days of the year.)

DeMolay boys from all around stormed the campus for their annual convention and really had a hot queen race—elected a local high school lass.

Cordell Hall hosts entertain at their Annual Fall Dance while stags watch... Ted and Mrs. Kohler practice economy at Beta Kid Party... Howe, Harrison, Craven, and Fannell just bumming at Lambda Chi Hobo Dance... acrobats, Hawaiian girls, and one o' them dark folks turned out with others at the Co-ed Prom.

#### ... open houses and picnics



#### Seniors hold sway . . .







The outstanding news that "the only way to read faster is to read faster" was revealed to the students by one of the faculty, and the young democrats were re-organized.

Pledges of the colony chapter of Delta Zeta sorority revealed plans for construction of new stone lodge, and showed prospects of being re-established here in Stillwater.

Then Jack Boyd, probably as thinking a sophomore as ever hit the campus, and some active class officers came through with real ideas for the sophomore class when they originated the queen election and the Sophomore Sports Swing. "Katy" Robinson, Murray Hall smiling beauty, was the popularly selected second year class royalty, and was officially crowned at the initial sports swing, which, incidentally, is destined to become another Aggie tradition.

All the usual rough campaigning came to light suddenly in both the Aggie and Engineering queen races. Alpha Delta Pi Jean "friendly as a bucket fed calf" Cooley became princess of the farmer boys, and Anne Dunn, Willard Hall, received the crown from the slipstick fellers.

Students had hardly started going to classes when mid-semesters fell upon them. Result—letters to and from the deans.

Spring came in officially one day, and it was a good thing someone had the dope on its arrival as it was kind of a messy day. But not long afterwards it really hit the kids. Eyes were taken off books completely and minds drifted more to-

Elmo Barnes, Virginia Mae Price, and loyal Aggies at football game . . . A. D. Pi girls move into new home . . . Ruf-Nex boys clean up during Homecoming parade . . . "scurves" polish shoes of Ruf-Nex members . . . Mikles takes time off with other Aggies to see football game . . . Moscoe leads cheer leaders in parade.

## ... as graduation days near



#### and, so, another year ends . . .



ward the banks of Theta than in the direction of classrooms. No one escaped, spring was really here.

One day there was a campus election. "Shuffle Rhythm" was introduced to Aggie dancers and observers when Henry Busse brought his nation-favorite band for the Junior-Senior Prom. After a great deal more work than few others than themselves realized, the prom committee finally got arrangements completed and one of the top dance bands to take care of the music. Freshmen and sophomores joined with the upper-classmen for one of the finest evenings during the entire school year.

Picnic season descended on the campus and nearly every residence hall, sorority and fraternity had an outdoor excursion of some kind or another. Picnics, as always, rated tops among activities, having many advantages.

And there were plenty of big dances during the second semester—outstanding ones including the Kappa Alpha Dixie Dance, and the sports affairs thrown by Sigma Chi and the Pi Kappa Alphas.

Interscholastic season came all at once and with it what seemed like millions of high school singers, speakers, and what have you. Several pins went out during the three day sessions. (Recognition buttons.)

Spring sports included many track meets and several baseball games, with the Aggies leading the scoring nearly all the time.

Intra-murals also drew a good deal of attention from frats, sororities, and dorm residents.

Two jitterbugs at the Co-Ed Prom . . . Bob Morford and Neva Mae Deupree attend the Mardi Gras as Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Boone . . . another scene from the Kappa Sig's dance shows the various costumes during refreshment time at the Oasis . . . Alpha Sigma Eta, boy scout fraternity, gathers around the camp fire . . . Ross Floyd and Joe Hammond enjoy chatting with campus co-eds.

# THE GREEKS



IFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE

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## INTER-FRATERNITY . . .

The Interfraternity Council has been the governing body of the fraternities since its reorganization in 1933. This group considers all controversies among the fraternities and also hands down decisions whenever necessary. The council is an organization composed of representatives from each fraternity working for the betterment of fraternity life upon the Oklahoma A. and M. campus and for the promotion of fellowship among the twelve member fraternities.

Each fraternity is allowed two representatives in the Interfraternity Council. They are the president and a member, who is elected by his respective fraternity.

The presidents of the Interfraternity Council are selected successively from the member fraternities in the order that they were installed on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus. The vice-president is selected from the fraternity following in sequence the fraternity in which the president is chosen. The president and vice-president take office at the first meeting in the month of May of each year and serve for one calendar year. The secretary-treasurer is elected by the council at its first meeting after February fifteenth of each year.

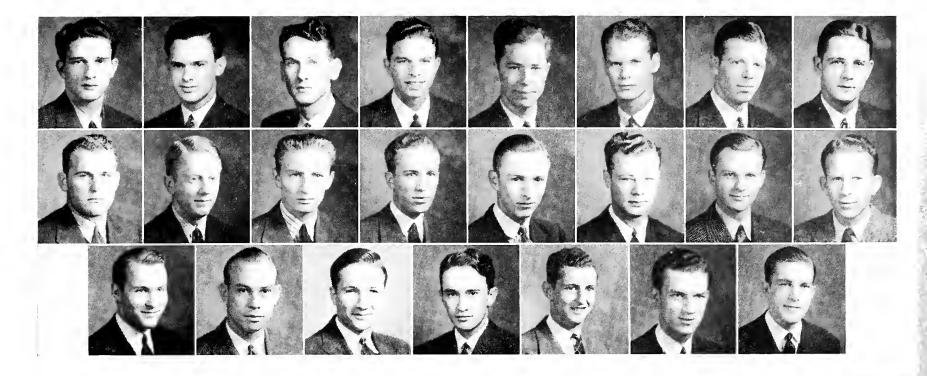
KENNETH TRUMBLY



Regular meetings are held on the first and third Sundays of each month during the academic year. Meetings are held in the chapter houses of the members of the Interfraternity Council in the order that they were admitted into the council. Each fraternity is required to pay fifteen dollars for dues each semester to the council to take care of expenses incurred during the school year.

It is the purpose of this body: to foster a spirit of friendliness and cooperative helpfulness among all fraternities on the campus; to provide and organize an agency by means of which fraternities can cooperate in matter of common concern relating to social affairs, rules regulating rushing and initiation activities, financial problems, and scholarship standards; and help in every way to promote the general interests of the college.

Left to Right—Hensley, Ryan, Lunger, Bettes, Holton, Logan, Albright, Brown, Cole, Trumbly, Johnson, Locke, Stanfield, Waken, Hardesty, Flesner, Brown, Simack



### . . COUNCIL

The Interfraternity Council conducts intramural athletics for which trophies in the form of placques, cups, and pennants are presented the winners in each given division and a large cup to the fraternity which scores the largest number of points in all divisions. The council also seeks to encourage scholastic attainment among fraternity men by offering each year a cup to the fraternity with the highest grade point average.

The council sponsors the Interfraternity Pledge Council, whose structure is similar to that of the Interfraternity Council, but whose membership is made up of representatives of the pledge groups of the various fraternities. This organization gives the pledges experience which is a great help to them when they become members. The Interfraternity Council sponsors the Interfraternity Pledge Dance which is held annually.

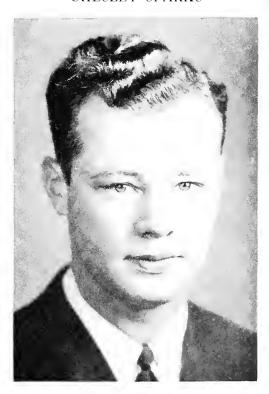
The Interfraternity Council entertains each year with a formal dance. This is truly the outstanding dance of the "Greeks". The dance, held at Fiscus Hall this year, made eight such dances conducted by the council.

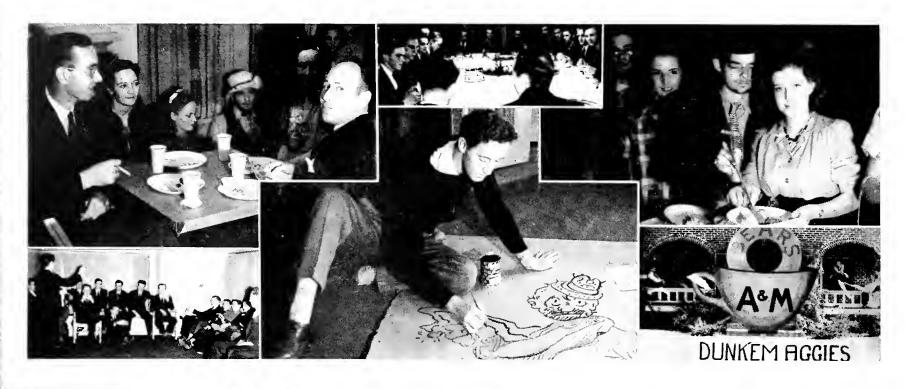
Another council project is the Interfraternity Singing Contest which is held annually. It is then that all the fraternities sing their songs to be judged. A silver loving cup is awarded the winning fraternity.

The Interfraternity Council affords the men representing their various fraternities an opportunity to express the opinions of their respective chapters in any manner they see fit. The council seeks to train the young men who represent their fraternities in the qualities of leadership and the art of governing. During the eight years that the Interfraternity Council has existed, it has managed to maintain the main purpose for which it was founded, to bring about a closer relationship among fraternities. The council has proved its worth by always handing down fair and impartial decisions.



CHESLEY SPARKS





### LAMBDA CHI ALPHA...

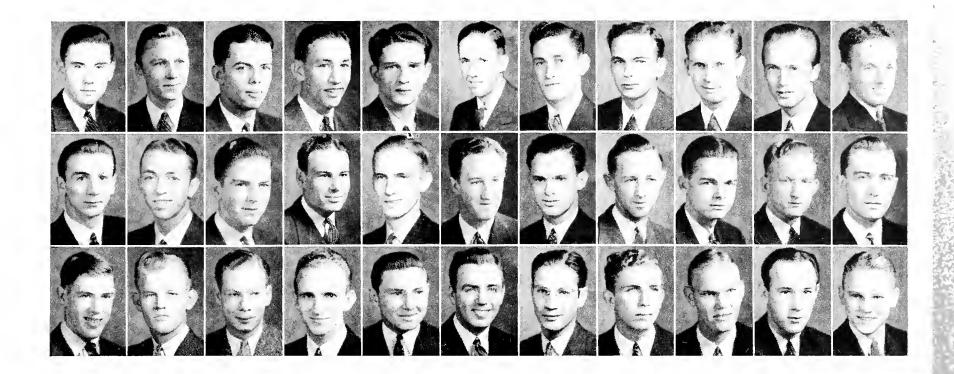
Chi Alpha began its history as a local fraternity in January of 1917. The following September it became the local chapter of the national fraternity. Alpha Eta Zeta of Lambda Chi Alpha was the first national fraternity established on the Oklahoma A. and M. College Campus.

The national fraternity was founded November 2, 1909, at Boston University. Today, Lambda Chi Alpha has one hundred and six national chapters located on the leading college campuses of the United States. Besides Alpha Eta, there are chapters located in Oklahoma at the University of Tulsa and Oklahoma City University. Seven times during the school year each member and alumni receive a copy of "The Cross and Crescent", the magazine of the fraternity. The fraternity has a convention every other year, which always falls on odd-numbered years. This summer the national convention will be held at Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

Also district conclaves are held each year in order to bring closer together all the various chapters in each geographical section. The southwestern district conclave was held this spring at the University of Tulsa.



Chaperones attend buffet style dinner preceding Hobo Dance . . . Lambda Chi's eat bird seed . . . Turkey and all the trimmings . . . Henry Henderson sketches hobo . . . Jean Marie Herrian, Bill Hukill, Mary Louise Klein, and Bill Prothro help themselves . . . Lambda Chi's do their part in dunking Washington Bears at Homecoming.



### ... Alpha Eta Zeta Chapter

The annual Hobo Dance, Spring Picnic, Founders' Day Banquet, Mothers' Day Program, and Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Senior Dinners were among the leading social events of the fraternity. Perhaps, the Hobo Dance leads the field since it is then that the members and pledges are able to judge the men of the fraternity by the kind of beards that they grow for the dance. This year Fiscus Hall was decorated to give the atmosphere of a government project for homeless hoboes. In the Spring of the year the Lambda Chis hold their annual picnic. The members, pledges and dates all get aboard hay-racks and head for the open spaces.

However, the Lambda Chi's do not spend all of their time in various forms of recreation, as can be shown by the record they have established in scholarship. For the last three semesters, they have maintained a very high grade point average. This year the Inter-fraternity Council presented the fraternity with the Scholarship Cup for the school year of 1939-40. Other chapter activities include a publication that is published each quarter and is mailed to all alumni and other chapters of the fraternity.

Members and pledges of Lambda Chi Alpha take a great interest in campus activities and belong to many of the various organizations. F. L. Holton, president of the local chapter, is editor of the 1941 REDSKIN, Vice-president of the Inter-Fraternity Council, Vice-president of Commerce Student Council. Henry Henderson is President of Hell Hounds, and Treasurer of The Beaux Arts Society. L. J. Eggleston, star forward on the Aggie basketball team, was elected "Popularity Prince" during "Sadie Hawkins Week". Clarence Linden received notable recognition as a member of Phi Kappa Phi, President of Beta Alpha Psi, and a member of Mu Kappa Tau and Gamma Sigma. Vern Schwertfeger was selected on the second team of the Missouri Valley basketball team.

Top Row, left to right—Adler, Anderson, Bellatti, Bently, Bettinger, Chastin, Clemens, Ediger, Fannell, Fielder Second Row-Troutfetter, Hardin, Harrison, Havs, Hayter, Henderson, Holton, Henderson, Hukill, Hunter, Houston

Third Row-Kerr, Kimmel, Lasemen, Linden, Logan, O'Neal, Prothro, Rundles, Schwertfeger, White, Young

F. L. HOLTON

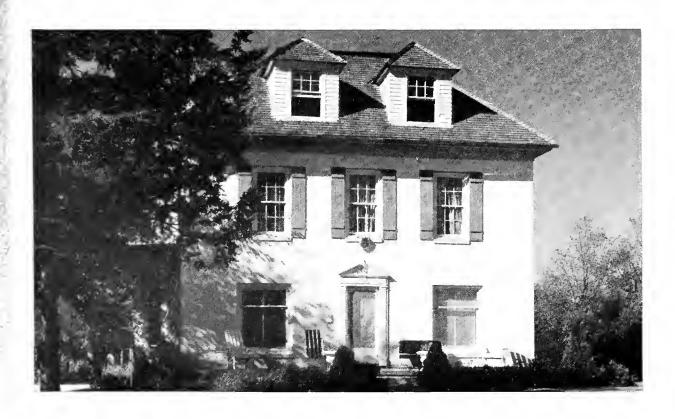




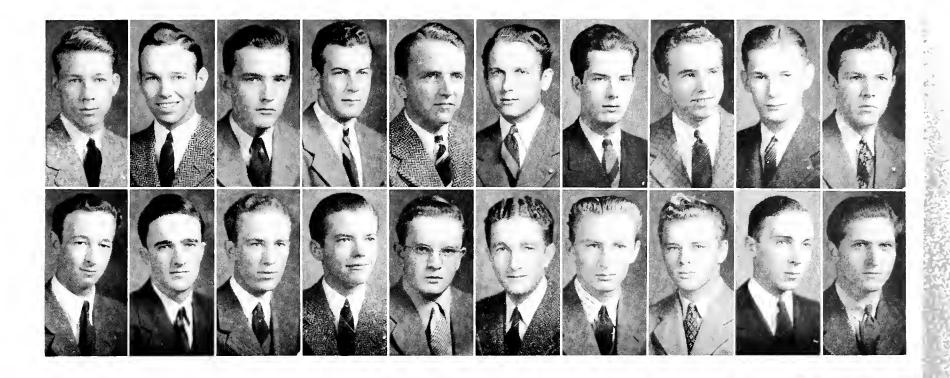
#### KAPPA ALPHA...

Kappa Alpha was founded at Washington and Lee University in 1865. Kappa Alpha, the remaining fraternity of the many who were founded with avowed southern intention, lists now some sixty-seven active chapters and has an approximate membership of 25,000. The purpose of the founding was the furtherance of southern ideals. The founders of Kappa Alpha were James Ward Wood, Dr. William Nelson Scott, Stanhope McClelland Scott, and William Archibald Walsh. The fraternity was first called Phi Kappa Chi, but three weeks later the name was changed to Kappa Alpha. It was under the sponsorship of Robert E. Lee that the fraternity subscribed to the principles it upholds today: the promulgation of southern chivalry and the keeping alive of all those worthy tenets of the "Old South".

The ideas and aims of the founders were inspired largely by the circumstances of time and place, and it was their happy fortune to take as the foundation of their structure, principles which must ever command the support of all honest hearts.



K. A.'s display that southern hospitality in a big way . . . Brotherly love . . . Such a sweet pair . . . When have we seen these two together before? . . . What do you see, Don? There's that handsome Jack Blakely again . . . Reginald Jacobs appears to be having a little difficulty . . . Spare the rod, Johnnie! . . . These gals must like the K. A. boys.



#### ... Beta Xi Chapter

Kappa Alpha chapters are divided into eight geographical divisions. These divisions are called provinces. Each province is under the supervision of a Province Council, which is held by the several chapters composing that province. The Province Commander makes annual inspections of each chapter and reports to the Knight Commander.

The Kappa Alpha Journal is the official magazine of the fraternity. It is published quarterly, and the first edition appeared in February, 1879.

On March 18, 1920, Beta Xi Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Order was founded on the campus of Oklahoma A. and M. College. The seven founders were John E. Moore, Cecil B. Dickson, Henry T. Brady, Harvey H. Walker, Russell Overstreet, John A. Atkinson, and Dent N. Hand. On September 8, 1938, Beta Xi moved into its new location on Hester street. They have started to remodel an old house in the Southern Style, adding a little as they can afford it. By 1942, they hope to have their home completed and to have regained their social, political, and scholastic prominence.

Among the prominent state alumni are: Reginald Jacobs, Assistant Administrator of F. E. R. A.; John Oliver, State Coordinating Board; Walter S. Ferguson, Director of Federal Reserve Bank; W. S. Campbell, Professor at the University of Oklahoma; R. K. Everest, Attorney at Oklahoma City; J. E. Moore, Continental Oil Company; Lewis Hardage, coach at the University of Oklahoma.

Among the present membership of Beta Xi, there are many men influential in campus leadership, publications, and social activities. These men include: Cecil Stanfield, President and member of the Inter-Fraternity Council and several honorary fraternities; J. H. Rice, Treasurer, and member of Blue Key, Student Senate, and REDSKIN staff; Don Stanfield, Vice-President, Social Chairman, and a member of Hell Hounds.

Top Row, left to right—Alvis, Blaicher, Brueggeman, Campbell, DeWitt, Gimlin, Gratton, Hines, Jackson, Largent
Second Row—Leach, McElhoes, McGee, Owens, Reed, Rice, Stanfield, Stanfield, Taylor, Young

CECIL STANFIELD





## SIGMA PHI EPSILON...

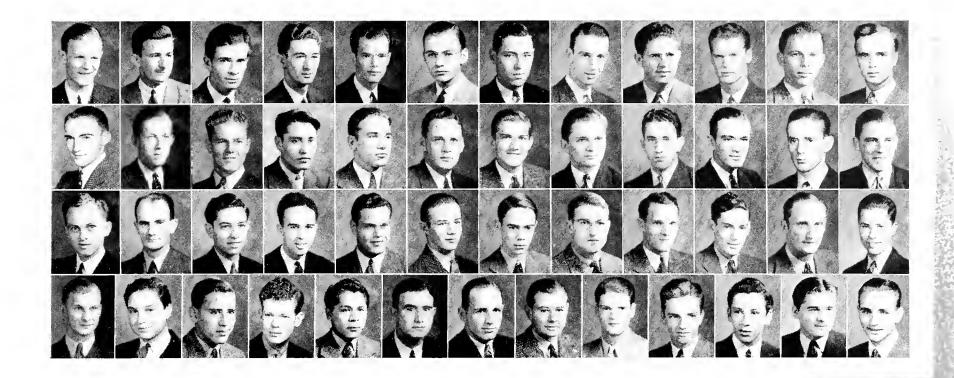
Since its founding on November 1, 1901, at the University of Richmond as 3rd in order of founding among 42 national fraternities, Sigma Phi Epsilon has grown to the 12th in number of chapters and initiates with 72 active chapters. There are 70 alumni chapters in 35 states.

Sigma Phi Epsilon is one of four national fraternities which owns its own house. The national set-up has a student loan and fellowship fund for the aid of undergraduate members. A Sig Ep endowment fund aids chapters in buying their homes. The famed Sig Ep plan of finance, formerly known as the Purdue plan, has been widely copied by other national fraternities and sororities. The plan features a sliding scale of dues which eliminates special fees and assessments. The Sig Ep life membership plan, eliminates alumni dues and entitles every member to all rights and benefits of the fraternity, including a life subscription to the national *Journal*.

Although a young fraternity, Sigma Phi Epsilon has always been a pioneer in the fraternity field. Its youth has been its greatest asset.



Meager does a bit of concentration . . . Sig Ep's really go in for ping pong . . . Vance and Cooper clean up for dinner . . . Nickson, Wayne, Bassel, and Wood catch up on some sleep . . . Isn't that a pretty cup? . . . Sig Ep president, Walter Slack . . . McKee, Abercrombie, Locke, and Sharp cut down on paper expense.



#### ... Oklahoma Alpha Chapter

Oklahoma Alpha was founded April 3, 1920, with Sigma Tau, local social order, the founding organization. Since that time the chapter has progressed rapidly in regard to housing and has been active in campus work, athletics, and general school activities. In 1932 the chapter moved into its new brick house, its present home, at 324 Monroe street. In the fall of 1940 the local chapter burned its \$17,000 mortgage.

Financial backing is strong in the Oklahoma Alpha alumni corporation, which aids greatly in controlling financial affairs of the chapter.

Also in the fall of 1940 the active organization sponsored the formation of a mothers' club, which meets regularly in the chapter house.

Among members of the faculty and extension division of the college are alumni members H. W. Cave, Henry E. Dunlavy, A. O. Martin, Robert Penquite, Max J. Plice, R. B. Thompson, A. E. Wade, Sylvan R. Wood, B. F. Harrison and T. G. Sexton. Other alumni members are holding prominent positions in varying occupations throughout the state and nation.

A costume dance, a formal, a house dance, and bi-weekly social functions are the main events in the lives of Sig Eps. The Bowery Brawl and the Golden Heart formal are two of the outstanding social occasions on the campus annually.

Sig Ep is represented in honorary organizations in every school on the campus, as well as in prep and military organizations. In Walter Slack, president, Sig Ep has a member of Blue Key, Press Club, Alpha Zeta, Block and Bridle, Aggie Society, Livestock judging team and "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". Duane Conner, vice-president, is a member of Sigma Tau. Comptroller Leo McGeehon is a member of Beta Alpha Psi, "O" club and has lettered in golf.



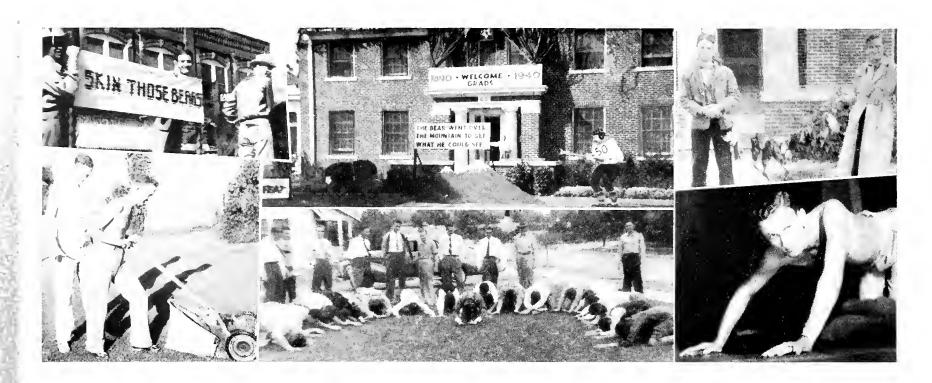
WALTER SLACK

Top Row, left to right-Abercrombie, Allman, Bassel, Baxter, Blackburn, Bolinger, Bradford, Briggs, Burton, Conner, Cooper, Deem

Second Row—Dill, Dalby, Ekstrom, Harjo, Henricka, Hightower, Hill, Hunsaker, Holly, Livingood, Locke, Mason

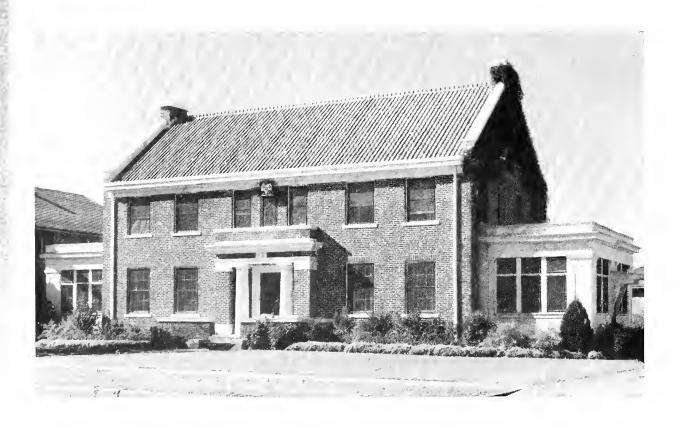
Third Row—Mosley, McGeehon, McKee, Nixon, Paul, Pratt, Reavis, Schmuck, Scheffel,

Fourth Row-Spurgon, Synar, Terrill, Thompson, Thomson, Tracy, Uhl, Vance, Waldrup, Wayne, Wisley, Wood, Yager

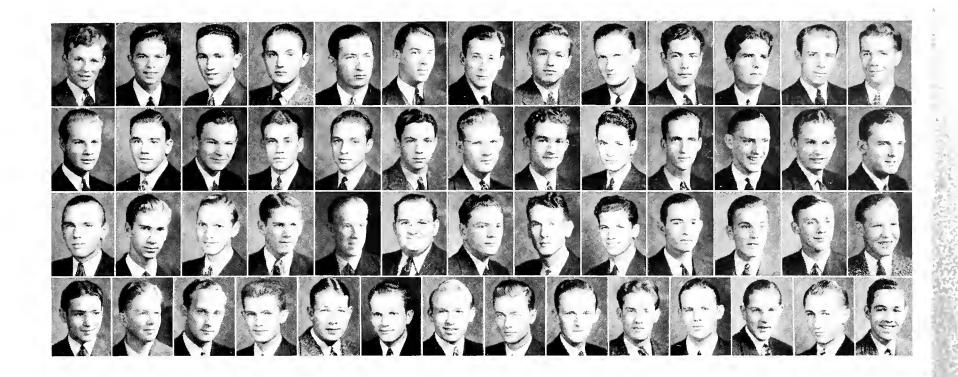


#### KAPPA SIGMA . . .

Kappa Sigma was the first founded in 1400 at the University of Bologna, Italy. It originally was a society of students formed for mutual protection against the wicked governor of the city, Balthasar Cossa. The society spread to other European Universities, but when the University of Bologna became extinct, the order of Kappa Sigma gradually died away. However, the story of the society was told to William Grigsby McCormick, a student at the University of Virginia, visiting in Europe. He was so inspired by it that upon his return to America he and four of his closest friends reorganized the fraternity. Kappa Sigma Fraternity was founded in America at the University of Virginia, December 10, 1869. From that time on it has grown consistently until at present there are 110 active chapters. The Gamma Psi chapter of Kappa Sigma was chartered on the A. and M. campus, May 10, 1920. Previous to this time it had been Gamma Zeta, a local fraternity composed of a few intrepid souls who desired to band themselves together in the interests of friendship and common tastes.



Kappa Sig's are out for blood, as is indicated by the Home-coming float and decorations . . . Dick Stanley, unaware of the assistance he is about to receive, carries on with the art of lawn-mowing . . . Praise Allah! . . . "Wanna buy a duck?" . . . Art Coffey, pledge-master, demonstrates the skill of floor-waxing to some unwilling pledges.



## ... Gamma Psi Chapter

During the past year many of the outstanding campus leaders have been Kappa Sigmas. Bob Morford is the president of Alpha Zeta, past president of the Junior class, business manager of the O'Collegian, vice-president and national representative of Blue Key, the outstanding agricultural freshman of the nation in 1938, and a member of the Press Club, the Livestock Judging Team, Hell Hounds, the Board of Publications, and the Aggie Council. Dale Hardesty is the president of Mu Kappa Tau, Managing Editor of the REDSKIN, senior advisor to Phi Eta Sigma, and a member of Alpha Kappa Psi and Blue Key. George Krumme is the president of Phi Eta Sigma and a member of Xi Mu, Kappa Kappa Psi, Pershing Rifles, and the symphonic band and orchestra. Bob Jones is the vice-president of Gamma Sigma and treasurer of Scabbard and Blade, and participates in Phi Kappa Phi, Blue Key, Beta Alpha Psi, Alpha Kappa Psi, and Mu Kappa Tau. Jack Boyd is a Sophomore Senator and a member of Hell Hounds and Speakers' Club. Grant Murphy is president of Alpha Pi Mu and a Phi Eta Sigma. Ed Ransom is in the "Y" cabinet, Phi Lambda Upsilon.

The social program of Kappa Sigma included the Election Ball, held in the fall; the annual Mardi Gras in December, one of the outstanding social events of the year; and the formal Dinner Dance held at the chapter house in the spring. There were also a Valentine Party and several dansants. Besides these, Kappa Sigma had its weekly "Little Student Senate" dance every Tuesday night at 7:00. Also among the fraternity's activities were the annual Founders' Day banquet at Oklahoma City and the District Convention held at the University of Oklahoma this year. Of course, the Kappa Sigma Alumni Club and the Mothers' Club had regular meetings, and a special Alumni Day was celebrated in the spring.

Top Row, left to right—Askew, Barnes, Barnes, Boyd, Brannon, Burton, Caldwell, Chambers, Coffey, Cooke, Craddock, Denton, Downs

Second Row-Downs, Fisher, Flesner, Goodpasture, Graves, Greiner, Hardesty, Harlan, Harris, Harrison, Hays, Ireland, Jones

Harris, Harrison, Hays, Ireland, Jones
Third Row—Kleinsteiber, Knotts, Krumme, Lanham, Lindahal, Mechling, Melton, Morford,
Moss, Murphy, McGivern, O'Dea, Phillips

Fourth Row—Poole, Privett, Ransom, Roberts, Ross, Scott, Scott, Sneed, Stanley, Stewart, Thomas, Thurston, Todd, Trimble

BOB MORFORD





### SIGMA NU...

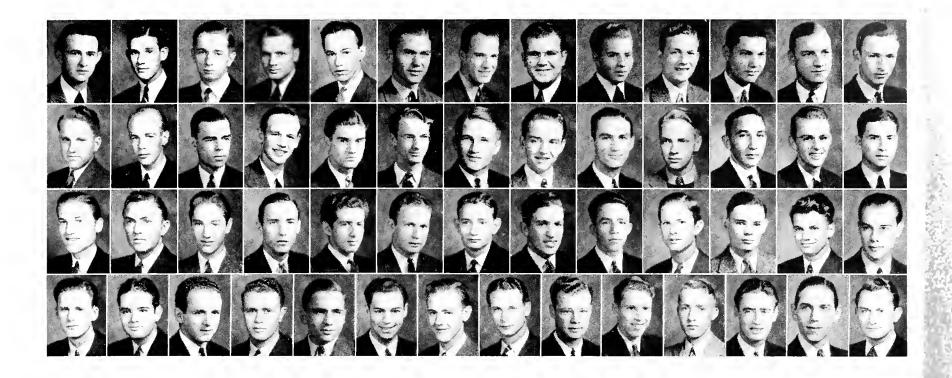
The Sigma Nu Fraternity was founded as the Legion of Honor at the Virginia Military Institute by James F. Hopkins. From this group has grown the present national fraternity, one of the largest in the nation. There are approximately 35,000 members in its 98 active chapters, which are located in every state in the nation, with one exception.

The total property valuation of the national organization is considerably over the two million dollar mark. The supreme governing body of the fraternity is the Grand Chapter, which convenes biennially, consisting of delegates from each of the active and alumni chapters. *The Delta*, a quarterly publication, is the journal of Sigma Nu. By the fraternity's permanent endowment fund, some of the chapters are assisted in the purchasing of their houses, and worthy students are aided in securing an education.

On October 18, 1920, Epsilon Epsilon of Sigma Nu came into existence at Oklahoma A. and M. College. Among the charter members of this chapter is Dean C. H. McElroy.



Sigma Nu's throw another Spring Formal . . . Harrell, Heller, Floyd, Cummings, and Lawrence are up to something, and it probably isn't good . . . Floyd, Cummings, and Harris bring back the old "T" for Homecoming parade. Flynn, Kinsey, Jonas, and Floyd have "bull session" . . . Jonas and Swims get their share at the Sigma Nu picnic.



## ... Epsilon Epsilon Chapter

Along with the early fall social events the Sigma Nu boys chartered two large trucks, loaded their best girl friends and roared off to their annual picnic. Around a campfire, located in a large wooded spot, everybody considered the more important things of life, such as hot dogs, marshmallows, and the singing of fraternity and sorority songs.

As the social season progressed, Sigma Nu dancers donned their formal attire and entertained their dates at a large banquet and a "Conscription Formal" ball at the chapter house. The Uncle Sam-will-surely-get-you theme, which characterized the decorations, promoted talk for days following this annual affair.

Shortly before the close of the first semester the local dance hall was transformed into a scene of cowboys and cowgirls whose presence made it one of Aggieland's most colorful dances. Highlight of the program was the performance of two world champion Ponca Indian war dancers in full regalia.

The activity and scholastic circles, as well as the social calendar, felt the imprint of Sigma Nu ability as is shown by the following list of outstanding men:

Bob Brown, B. Kirkpatrick, Bud Sparks, Tom Carson, J. Lobingier as members of Blue Key; Tom Carson, Dan Lawrence, and J. Horner in Press Club; Dan Lawrence, head of the Aggievator; L. McCaslin, head of the Oklahoma State Engineer; Carson, Scott, and Lobingier as members of Alpha Kappa Psi; Sparks, head of the Engineering Society; Breedlove, Floyd, and Fryatt in Ittanaha; Breedlove, Overstreet, and B. Brown, hotshots in the Aggie school. The Sigma Nu's are also represented in Aggie X, Aggie Society, Sigma Tau, Pi Tau Sigma, Beaux Arts, Commerce Council, Student Senate, football squad, and Phi Eta Sigma.

BOB DIGGS BROWN



Top Row, left to right—Alexander, Armour, Austin, Bailey, Berry, Berry, Biggs, Black, Boydston, Bramlett, Breedlove, Brown, Brown

Second Row—Caldwell, Carr, Carson, Cole, Cummings, Darling, Dunaway, Elder, Evans, Everest, Floyd, Fritsch, Fryatt

Third Row—Hammond, Harris, Heller, Hinkle, Hogan, Holloman, Hollman, Horner, Hulings, Jacoby, Jonas, Jones, Kirpatrick

Fourth Row-Lawrence, Lobingier, Murray, McBee, McCaslin, Overstreet, Rodolf, Sherman, Sparks, Steph, Steph, Stott, Sullivan, Wallace



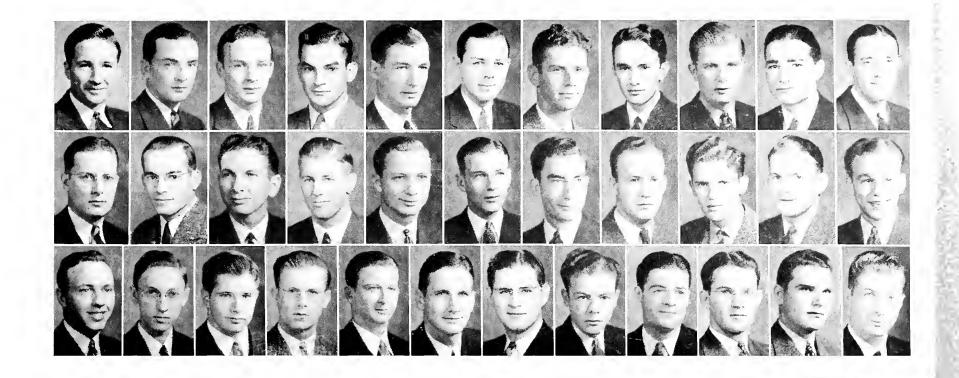
## ALPHA GAMMA RHO...

Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity was founded at Ohio State University late in the year 1904. In the spring of 1906 the Delta Rho Sigma Fraternity was founded at the University of Illinois. Both organizations were founded because it was felt that a social fraternity, composed of agricultural students only, could offer more to its members than a general social fraternity. The two local organizations united on April 4, 1908, adopting the name of the Ohio group, a slight modification of the badge of the Illinois group, and giving the Illinois group the honor of being Alpha Chapter. Thus, Alpha Gamma Rho, National Social-professional Agricultural Fraternity, came into existence. Today, one of its thirty-three chapters can be found at almost every agricultural college of importance in the United States.

In September, 1920, a group of agricultural students at Oklahoma A. and M. College organized the "AGR" Club. The name was later changed to the Sigma Alpha Club, and on May 19, 1921, this group was installed as Pi Chapter of Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity.



Alpha Gamma Rho's totem pole is formed by Albright, Beasley, Taylor, Oldham, and Thompson . . . Sycle is given medical aid by his brothers . . . Gathers introduces the latest style of house shoes . . . Childers relaxes in his private library . . . Barton and Heidebrecht . . . Dunn, Brown, Reed, and Barton take time out from study.



#### ...Pi Chapter

Alpha Gamma Rho sponsors three main social events each year, of which the "Barn Dance" is the most important. This year it was held the first day of February in Fiscus Hall, amid a setting of cartoons of farm animals that did much to lend the proper farm atmosphere. The affair was certainly a hilarious one. The annual Homecoming Banquet and Alumni meetings were held at Smith's Cafe, following the Homecoming football game with Washington University. The Alpha Gamma Rho's annual Sunrise Breakfast was held at Yost Lake, where dancing, boating, and swimming are the main functions, followed by a steak breakfast. The group returned to Stillwater in time to attend morning church services.

Besides these, an annual Founders' Day Banquet is held each April 4, in honor of the founding of the Fraternity. This banquet is for members, pledges and alumni only, and is spent in reminiscing over old times, viewing again the history of the order, and creating a closer union between the active members and pledges and the alumni. Besides these annual social events, frequent dinners and smaller social events are sponsored by the chapter.

Alpha Gamma Rho is well represented in campus activities; having six men in Blue Key, eight in Alpha Zeta; others in Press Club, Players Club, Collegiate 4-H, Collegiate F. F. A., Aggie Society, Officers' Club, Ruf-Nex, Scabbard and Blade, varsity basketball, football, track, judging teams, and many other organizations and activities. A few of the outstanding men are: Allen Heidebrecht, Agriculture Senator, Secretary of Block and Bridle, and a member of Alpha Zeta and Blue Key; Bill Cole, Vice-president of Alpha Gamma Rho, member of Alpha Zeta, Blue Key, and senior livestock judging team; George Gathers, President of Alpha Gamma Rho, member of Alpha Zeta, Blue Key, and Scabbard and Blade; William Tallant, National President of Spur and Comb.

Top Row, left to right—Albright, Barton, Browne, Carter, Childress, Cole, Dunn, Gathers, Gazaway, Hawkins, Heidebrecht
Second Row—Howell, Kirkpatrick, Lester, Little, Miller, McCrum, Nelson, Newman, Nims.

Oldham, Reed
Third Row—Robinson, Rowley, Southall, Stroup, Stroup, Tallant, Taylor, Thompson,
Wann, Wann, Williams, Williams

GEORGE GATHERS

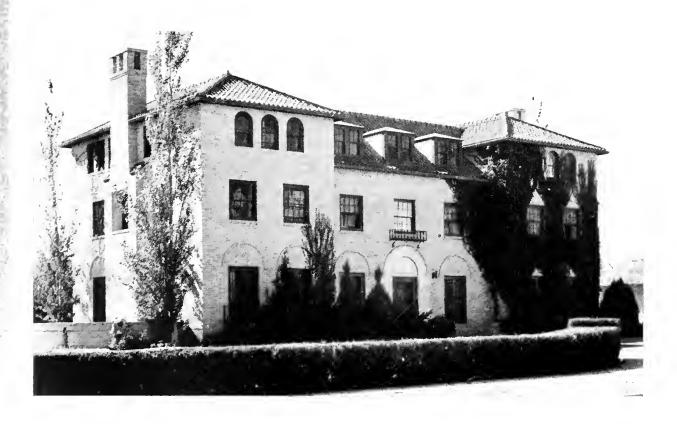




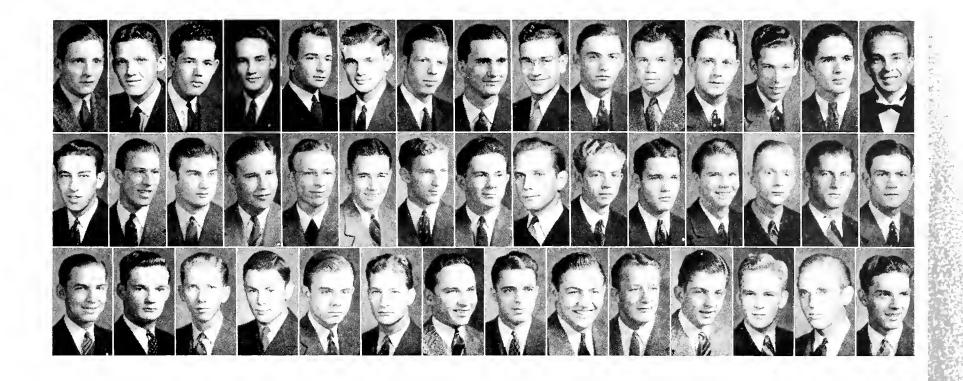
### SIGMA CHI...

The White Cross of Sigma Chi first shown its light at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, on June 28, 1855, to seven members of another society who rebelled at what they considered were unfair practices. Founded at this time Sigma Chi, with Beta Theta Pi and Phi Delta Theta formed the famous Miami Triad. Truly international with its Canadian chapters, Sigma Chi is one of the oldest and largest of Greek-letter societies. The Fraternity is governed by the Grand Chapter which convenes every two years and is composed of the past Grand Consuls and delegates of active and alumni chapters, of which there are over two hundred. In addition, there is the Grand Council and the Executive Committee which have supervision between meetings of the Grand Chapter.

Possibly the most unique fraternal chapter ever created was the Constantine chapter of Sigma Chi. Seven Sigs, fighting in the bloodshed of the Civil War, found need of their brotherhood and although their lives were constantly endangered by secret meetings, established a chapter on the battle-field. An immense marble cross in honor of this meeting has been erected.



Sigma Chi's wait for Santa . . . Crandall and Angerer entertain their dates with a few hands of bridge . . . It looks as if old Santa was exceptionally good to the boys . . . Ziggie and Crandall laugh at Angerer's threat . . . The Cook surprises Millikan and Daily. They will know better the next time . . . Clark and Falkenberg.



## ... Gamma Delta Chapter

Sigma Beta Chi, a local fraternity established in 1915, was granted a charter as Gamma Delta chapter of Sigma Chi, December 15, 1922. Gamma Delta now owns its own house which was built in 1930 at a cost of over \$65,000.00. Since its founding, Gamma Delta has consistently held a place among the leading fraternities on the campus, with such leaders as: Charles D. Johnson, Keith Burns, A. B. Wright, Hook Johnson, James Callahan, Beverly Barnett, Pete Roberts, Rufus Green, Ned Stuart, Stanley Henson, Frank Lewis and Doc Strong. Typical of these campus leaders who have received for Gamma Delta every conceivable honor offered by the college is Charles D. Johnson. As president of Gamma Delta he was also president of his Senior Class, a member of the College Discipline Committee, Cadet Colonel, All Missouri Valley guard, member of Blue Key and other honorary college organizations, and received the honor of being the College's most valuable student. Among the social high lights each year is Gamma Delta's formal dinner and house dance, which is held on Washington's birthday. All Sigma Chi dates were given orchids and crested favors at this year's dance.

This year members of Gamma Delta are proud to possess leaders able to continue such a record. Ed Cleveland is president of the chapter, Business Manager of the Redskin, and an active member of such organizations as Blue Key, Press Club, Aggie-X, Inter-fraternity Council, and Hell Hounds. Floyd Foley is president of the Aggie Society, Secretary-Treasurer of Student Senate, member of Alpha Zeta, Blue Key, Ruf Nex, Scabbard and Blade, Officers Club, and listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges." John Schwabe has served as President of the Student Senate as well as being the treasurer of Blue Key fraternity. John Holcombe is associate editor of the REDSKIN, Jiggs Stuart is a star fullback, and Bud Millikan is a "fullback" on the basketball squad.

Top Row, left to right—Angerer, Baker, Bosmyer, Boyd, Brodine, Clark, Cleveland, Clovis, Cole, Cooper, Crandall, Daily, Dunn, DeArmond, Efaw
Second Row—Fincke, Fincke, Foley, Fields, Green, Glenn, Holcombe, Holliman, Horton, Karnes, Kirk, Lancaster, Ledbetter, Logan, Millikan

Third Row—Mullins, Neal, Ooley, Palmer, Rollins, Rose, Sale, Schwabe, Stamets, Stewart, Stroup, Thompson, Wythe, York

ED CLEVELAND





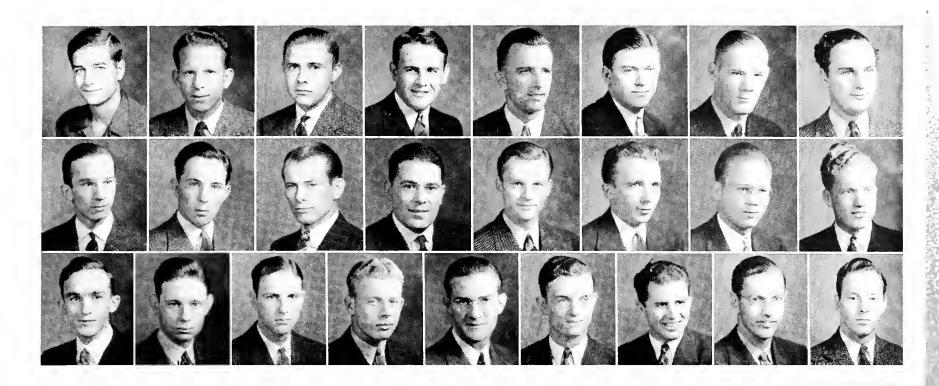
## ACACIA..

In 1904 in a room at the University of Michigan, a group of students, all Master Masons, gathered determined to found a fraternity on a new basis. The organization was to be built on principles inculcated by the vows already taken in the lodge room and was to be actuated by a search for high scholarship. Their fraternity home was to be free from drinking, gambling, and from the social vices that had been for years a blot on the fraternity life of the nation. So Acacia began, a fraternity that has "Human Service" as its motto, and a standard for its members that teaches above all to seek the truth and knowing it, give light to those with whom they may be associated as they travel along life's pathway. Acacia began to form at Oklahoma A. and M. College when, during the spring of 1918, several Masons here, feeling the need of a Masonic organization on the campus, called a meeting of all the Masons, and this meeting resulted in the formation of the Masonic Club of Oklahoma State College. The local Square and Compass was granted a charter by the National Acacia organization on May 12, 1923.

The name "Acacia" is not a Greek-letter word, but the Greek name of an



Lloyd Lunger does his part to keep Acacia's scholastic standing high . . . It takes three alarm clocks to get Bergman and Cobb out of bed for those early morning classes. Hudgens and Orr share a magazine . . . Gaucho Green gives old Sol a fast play for his money . . . Fulton pounds out with his own version of a song.



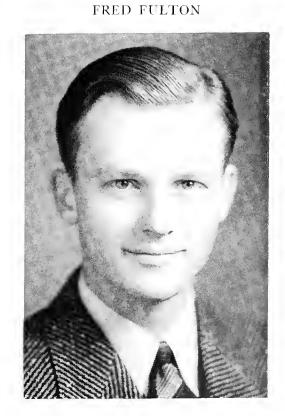
#### ... Oklahoma State Chapter

Eastern evergreen. This evergreen symbolizing immortality. Acacia is a name easily remembered and has a distinctiveness which sets it apart from the often confusing Greek-letter names of other fraternities. In the earlier years of the fraternity, the various chapters were designated by letters of the Hebrew alphabet because of the close connection between Semetic history and the ritual and traditions of Masonry. As these Hebrew letters caused misconceptions concerning the nature and ideals of the fraternity, the plan was abandoned. The chapters are now named for the schools in which they are placed.

The Acacia Fraternity is a "university fraternity" consisting of twenty-five chapters and 12,000 members, the chapters being located at the larger universities and colleges throughout the nation. Nationally, Acacia stands in first place among the social fraternities in scholarship.

The Oklahoma State chapter has been prominent in campus activities ever since its founding.

When it comes to entertaining the Acacia boys do it up in style. Their Annual Formal Dance is one of the outstanding social events of the year. At this time they don their tails and entertain in an atmosphere of an old southern garden with a colorful waterfall and a background of Spanish Moss. The pledges have their swing out at their pledge dance, which is no little affair either. In addition to these affairs, there is a Christmas party where true brotherly love is brought to the surface by affectionate gifts, various dansants, and the annual picnic. Along in the spring alumni come from far and near to gather for the Founders Day Banquet. Acacians are well represented in many leading organizations, a few of which are: Mu Kappa Tau, Alpha Kappa Psi, Eta Kappa Nu, Alpha Pi Mu.



Top Row, left to right-Aubrey, Bettes, Bergman, Cobb, Collins, Koons, Cupp, Dawson Second Row-Dorr, Elliot, Fagg, Foster, Fulton, Gosting, Green, Hudgens Third Row-Lackey, Lucas, Lunger, Morton, McCollum, Orr, Rogers, Rose, Vineyard



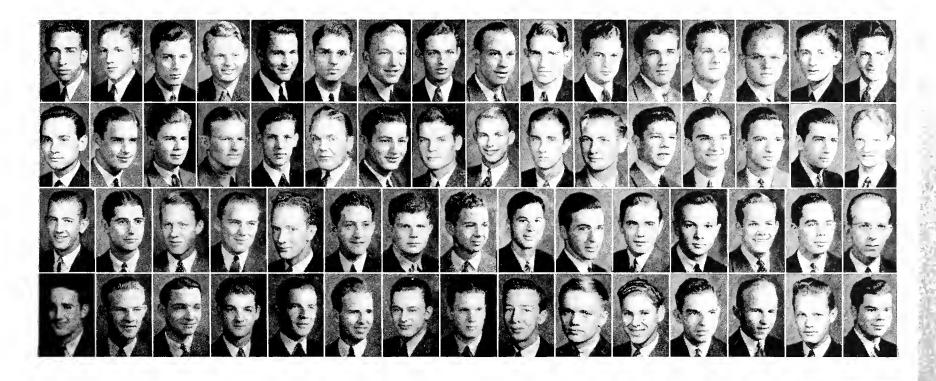
#### SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON...

Eight friends strolling on the banks of the Black Warrior River, at the edge of the campus of the University of Alabama desired a bond to hold them together after their college days. From the friendship of these eight men came the founding of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The first constitution was drawn up on the night of March the ninth, 1856. The leader of the group of founders was Noble Leslie deVotie, who in later years was a great aid to the extension of the fraternity. Over the years S. A. E. has grown from the group of eight to a fraternity of approximately 53,000 initiates, 96 houses, 114 chapters, and a property valuation of \$4,250,000. The national temple at Evanston, Illinois, is one of the few of its kind in the fraternity world. It is a beautiful structure dedicated to the memory of William C. Levere, a past national president. This building, built at a cost of \$400,000, contains the national headquarters and the most complete library in existence, pertaining to Greek fraternities and sororities. National conventions have contributed heavily to the success and organigation of the fraternity.

Oklahoma Mu of Sigma Alpha Epsilon was originally the local fraternity,



Dark, Davis, Dykes, Whitney, and Woodman really slick up for dance . . . Blackwell and Stokes . . . Baugh has wreck on his way to Province Convention. Smelser and Baugh try to estimate the damage. Sig Alphs renew old acquaintances at their Founders' Day Banquet. The boys rig up a cannon for Sailor Dance . . . Ping pong during



#### ... Oklahoma Mu Chapter

Chi Beta. Chi Beta was founded May 17, 1921, on the Aggie campus. Realizing the values of the national organization, the Chi Beta members petitioned S. A. E. and received their charter February 14, 1931. Since that time Oklahoma Mu has become one of the outstanding chapters on the national records of S. A. E. having had the honor of winning the scrapbook contest, at the national convention, for the last three years and placing high in the scholastic rating. The Sig Alfs rank high both scholastically and socially. The scholastic record is enviable, having ranked in the three leading fraternities on this campus for the past decade. The social calendar is highlighted by the annual Sailor's dance in the fall and the Sig Alf formal in the spring. These functions are ably supported by other social events throughout the year. For the past three years the Sig Alfs have won the Interfraternity Sing, and were last year presented the cup. In the past the S. A. E.'s have been a strong contender in interfraternity sports.

S. A. E., again as in the past, has its share of politicians in campus activities. Carl Blackwell, past president of S. A. E. during the fall of 1940, is also president

of three other organizations: Blue Key, Gamma Sigma, Commerce Council, and a member of Phi Kappa Phi. Creech Reynolds, violinist who had the honor of being selected to play in the All-American Youth Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski last fall, has stepped in for his share of the honors of the campus by being a member of Blue Key, Phi Kappa Phi, and president of the College Symphonic Orchestra. Gene Smelser, Popularity Prince candidate of last year, is a senior member of the basketball team, president of the student body, and a member of the education council. These three are supported by several others who also are bringing honors to themselves and S. A. E.

CARL BLACKWELL



Top Row, left to right—Ashenhurst, Bailey, Basore, Blackford, Blackwell, Burnham, Burton, Clifton, Colbert, Cowen, Cunningham, Dark, Davis, Dennis, Edmondson, Evans Second Row-Farbro, Geren, Haight, Hall, Harrison, Hartley, Hill, Horne, Hudson, Hurst, Ingham, Jackson, Johnson, Kaboth, Kelly, Laley

Third Row-March, McConnell, McGovern, McMillin, Morey, Orwig, Peyton, Price, F. Price, H. Price, K. Price, Reynolds, Roberts, Robins, Shepard
Fourth Row-Smelser, Smith, Schmidt, Stanley, Stewart, Turner, Vandergrift, Wallace,

Watts, Whitenton, Whitney, Widner, Wienecke, Woodman, Yankee



## PI KAPPA ALPHA...

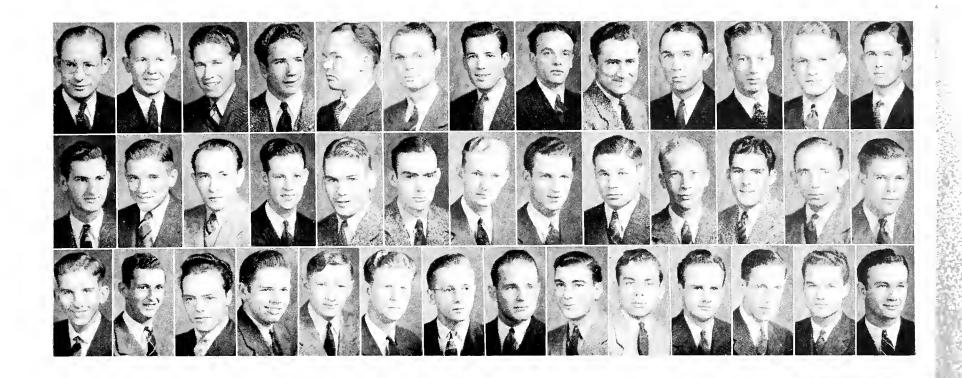
More than 73 years ago, five young men from Virginia who had been lifelong friends and had fought side by side in the Civil War for the Confederacy, and a newly found friend from the North, bound themselves together as students to form a fraternity that would live through the years and perpetuate the bond of friendship which they held for each other.

Pi Kappa Alpha now has 81 chapters scattered over the United States with at least one chapter in each state. "The Shield & Diamond" is the peer of fraternity magazines being published five times during the college year. It keeps the 24,721 Pi Kappa Alphas up to date on the doings of their fraternity and fraternity brothers.

The Council charters chapters, supervises all publications, adopts the annual budget, decides the time and place of national conventions, fixes the amounts of the national initiation and yearly dues, and may suspend chapters and suspend and expel members and reinstate former members. The headquarters of the fraternity are located in Atlanta, Georgia.



Pike's do some real good studying . . . Hurley Lane was the popular one while he had his ankle broken. He had the same trouble as Clark Gable with autograph hounds . . . Bob Dunaway pretends that he knows something about a slide-rule . . . Still studying . . . Pickens packs pal's pants . . . There is nothing like a life of leisure.



#### ... Gamma Chi Chapter

The present chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha has a long history of origin. An organization known as the Dean's Cabinet was created by Dean H. W. Moorehouse, founder of the School of Commerce and Marketing at Oklahoma A. and M. College. On December 8, 1919, a local honorary professional business fraternity titled "Alpha Psi" was organized by four members of the Dean's Cabinet. Alpha Kappa Psi fraternity was petitioned and on January 8, 1920, Tau chapter was installed. Tau chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi petitioned Pi Kappa Alpha in May, 1939, and became Gamma Chi of Pi Kappa Alpha here at Oklahoma A. and M. College. Seventy-eight men were initiated into the new chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha at the date of installation. During the period of a little over one year, the membership has increased to one hundred and twenty-five.

Pi Kappa Alpha has many outstanding alumni scattered over the state. Prominent alumni on the faculty who are concerned with the welfare of Oklahoma A. and M. College are: M. Fred Tidwell, Richard E. Bailey, J. Jay McVicker, Henry Adams, William Rice, O. J. Merrill, and Lynn Miller.

The annual fall dance is the Pi K. A. Indian Pow-wow, which is becoming a more popular campus feature each year. Its colorful Indian setting has proved very successful. The favors each year are tokens obtained from the Ponca Indians at the 101 Ranch near Ponca City. In the spring, the annual Black and White Formal is also gaining popularity along fraternity row. The Pi K. A. boys also relax from their studies each year with a fall and spring picnic.

Some of the outstanding Pi K. A.'s in extra-curricular activities are: Willard Holderby, Commerce Senator, "Who's Who in American Colleges," Blue Key, Mu Kappa Tau, Phi Eta Sigma, Commerce Council, and Student Senate; Ken Holderman, Alpha Kappa Psi, Commerce Council, and Football.

Top Row, left to right—Askwell, Atwood, Baker, Benton, Beverage, Booker, Boone, Carr, Daily, Davis, Dixon, Donnelly, Dunaway

Second Row—Edde, Edison, Gier, Holderby, Holderman, Hudson, Irby, Johnson, Jones, Jorns, Karnes, Kirkendall, Knox

Third Row—Lane, Morris, Nell, Pickins, Reed, Ryan, Shidler, Swint, Taylor, Vlahos, Warner, Williams, Williams, Wilson

ERNEST JOHNSON





## THETA KAPPA PHI...

Theta Kappa Phi, an organization for Catholic men, had its inception on the campus of Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, on October 1, 1914.

The founders were a group of undergraduate students who were granted permission to found the order by Cardinal Dennis J. Dougherty, Archbishop of Philadelphia and the new chaplain of the fraternity sailed for Rome to secure the Papal blessing for Theta Kappa Phi.

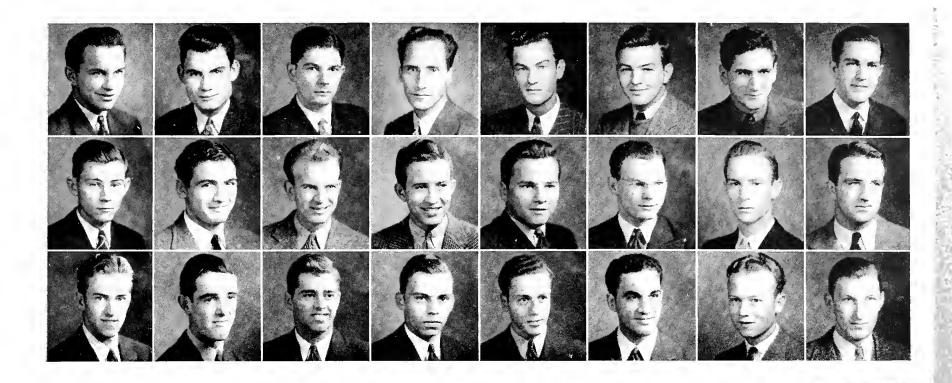
Theta Kappa Phi expanded with surprising rapidity, spreading its chapters nation wide, strengthening the backbone of college life, fraternalism. The number of national chapters now total 14.

Nu chapter of Theta Kappa Phi has followed the footsteps of its mother, rising from the Beta chapter of the Friars to its installation as Nu chapter of Theta Kappa Phi, in six months. Since then, the spring of 1937, Nu has marched on, partaking in all campus activities. Its social functions have been outstanding and a credit to Fraternalism.

The versatility of the Theta Kappa boys is one of the prime reasons for their



Bridge fans . . . Theta Kappa Phi's Man of Sports, Ray Crowley . . . Trumbly and Williams get in some good studying . . . Johndrow believes in the old saying that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" . . . Joe Ross demonstrates his superiority . . . Dwyer and Miller are disturbed during their peaceful slumber.



### ... Nu Chapter

amiability. From the soaring wings of alumnus Erwin Wengierski to the flapping tails and white tie of Harvard Waken, light of the social world and flame in the heart of one ADPi, Theta Kappa Phi glistens. The non-political accomplishments of one of the finest and most complaisant individuals on the campus, a pronounced leader and believer in fair play, Ray Crowley, adds several beams to the light of TKP versatility. Ed Dwyer, who sits in the throne of senior class president, holds a subtle wand backed by a really pleasing personality, while Ken Trumbly, Chief Executive at Theta Kappa Phi and also of the Interfraternity Council, abets his position, being an almost human issue of a parliamentary law booklet. Theta Kappa Phi needs only those beams added by Frank Kastl, member of almost every engineering society, those of Earl W. Glahn, "Never been kissed boy of yesterday" and those of Don Williams, the boy who does the most with the least recognition, to broaden a narrow band of light beams into a full light stream of TKP versatility.

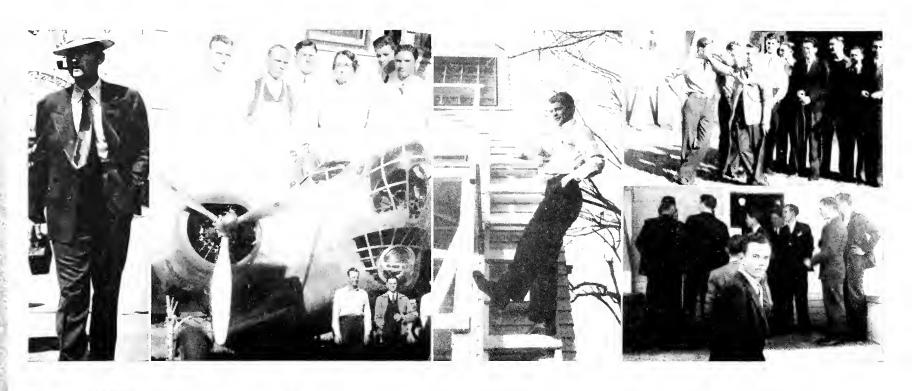
The spirit of Theta Kappa Phi roams the campus lighting even into the darkest of corners. The Theta Kappa Phi semi-formal in all its splendor sent its beam of light into a darkened week-end revealing on one rainy night the beauty of nature and the great outdoors. Fiscus Hall was transformed from its cold impersonal self into a warm glowing woods with animals of every nature peering through the foliage, while the trickling of water down a rocky ledge filled the tired soul with romance.

This wandering spirit did not cease showering its light with the fall semi-formal, but carried them on further with the presentation of a formal Christmas dinner dance. The boys on Maple added to the already placid Christmas atmosphere the final touch of dignity. Thus, the east-siders continue their persistent bid to gain recognition.

KENNETH TRUMBLY



Top Row, left to right-Bryce, Cohrs, Cooper, Crowley, Daily, Denneby, Dillon, Dwyer Second Row-Edmiston, Grisanti, Holt, Quinnett, Johndrow, Kastl, Mauk, Miller Third Row-Noble, Ross, Trumbly, Trumbly, Waken, Waken, Whayman, Williams



### FARM HOUSE . . .

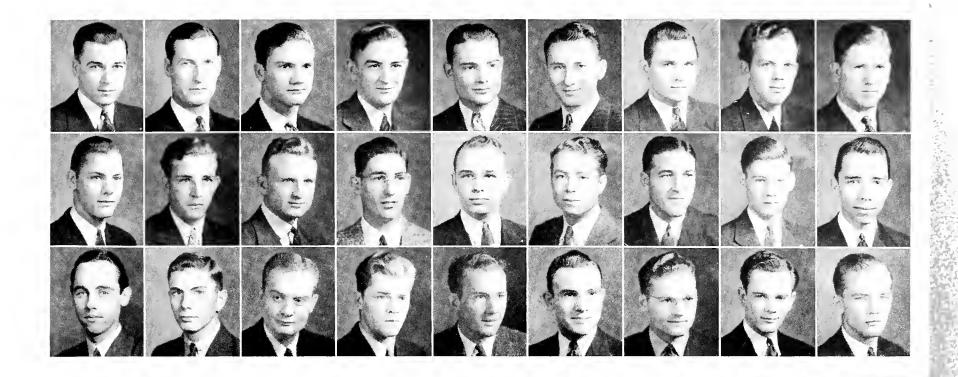
Farm House is a semi-professional fraternity, the purpose of which is to foster fellowship, scholarship, and high principles of moral character among students in agriculture. It was founded at the University of Missouri in 1905 by a small group of students who were actively interested in providing a home with invigorating environment for worthy agricultural students. Good conduct, active participation in professional as well as social activities, and harmonious fellowship have built an enviable record for the fraternity on leading campuses of the Middlewest.

The local chapter of Farm House fraternity was installed in May, 1928, and has steadily grown in importance until today it is one of the outstanding chapters of the nation. The stability and consistency of the local chapter may be attributed to the fact that sporadic growth and radical activities have been avoided by careful selection of members. Membership is limited to agriculture students.

Since the date of organization, the members of Farm House have maintained a high scholastic standing and promoted the moral, social, and intellectual prin-



Thomas goes for stroll to take pictures . . . Hughes, Rhoten, Harper, Mrs. Moberly, Simmering, and Brown . . . Orie Schurter, alumnus, flys army bomber here to visit the boys. Cole, Burton, Jones, and Hayes inspect the huge weapon . . . Simmering risks neck on ladder . . . The boys pose for picture in front yard . . . Waiting for the dinner bell.



#### ... Oklahoma Chapter

ciples of the fraternity. The members have taken active parts in campus activities and have represented the school in famous judging teams.

The name Farm House was chosen because the founders wished to emulate the farm home and its life. They desired to select a name that was distinctive of their profession and symbolic of the ideals of their brotherhood. The use of Greek letters would not have made this possible. As the colonial farm house of 300 years ago became the foundation of our present social, moral, and intellectual ideals, so was the name Farm House selected to typify the social, moral, and intellectual ideals of the fraternity and its members.

Twenty-five students were charter members of the local chapter. Those who were most instrumental in the chapter's organization were Harold Miles, a former president of the Kansas Chapter of Farm House; Trimble Hedges; Ephriam Hixson; Bryan Brady; Everett Clark; and Arthur Meyer.

Prominent state alumni include: Harold Miles, Oklahoma Extension Economist, class of '29; Ephriam Hixson, Professor of Entomology here at Oklahoma

A. and M. College, class of '29; and Lynn Beard, Agricultural Manager of Tulsa Chamber of Commerce, class of '30.

Social functions for this year included: Fall Hay-rack Ride, Christmas Party, Formal Dance, Conclave Dance, Spring Party, Founders' Day Banquet, and numerous house parties.

The campus organizations in which Farm House members are represented are: Alpha Zeta, Blue Key, Phi Kappa Phi, Phi Sigma, Officers' Club, Aggie Society, Block and Bridle Club, Agronomy Club, Dairy Club, Aggie-X, Horticulture Club, Entomology Club, Collegiate 4-H Club, and Future Farmers of America. Once more two members of Farm House won the Danforth and Swift Essay Awards.

GILBERT WALKER



Top Row, left to right—Burton, Burgess, Brown, Bloyd, Bathurst, Berousek, Cole, Dinusson, Harner

Second Row-Hickock, Houeston, Hughes, Lawbach, Lodwick, Maynard, Meador, McGilliard, Parks

Third Row—Sallee, Savage, Shimp, Simmering, Spore, Sullivan, Thomas, Walker, Walker



## BETA THETA PI...

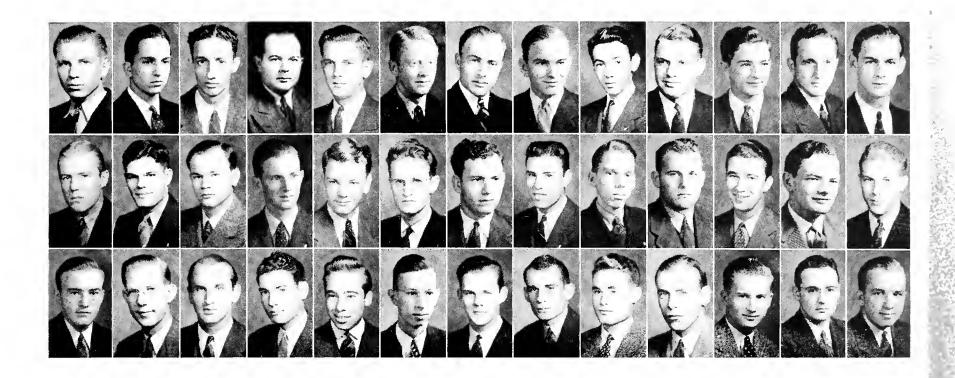
Capturing honors in every field of endeavor, Gamma Lambda Chapter of Beta Theta Pi marked up another year of outstanding achievement with superlative records and attainments in scholarship, athletics, social functions, and extra curricular activities.

On August 8, 1939, Beta Theta Pi was founded at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, by John Reily Knox and seven associates. It was the first fraternity to be organized west of the Allegheny mountains, and its pioneering nature has continued to prevail. In 1872, Charles Duy Walker founded the first college fraternity magazine, Beta Theta Pi, which has been used as a model for the framing of other national fraternal organizations. Starting with a membership of eight, Beta Theta Pi with rapid and steadfast strides has attained a roll of nearly 40,000 members.

In 1908, Delta Sigma, a local fraternity, which later became the Gamma Lambda of Beta Theta Pi, was organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus, and since that time, it has always led Greek organizations on this campus.



Craft evidently gets around by the looks of things . . . Kemp just did make it to bed. He must have had a big time the night before. Jules Cook does all right. Kemp, Cook, Staniforth, and Drummond look pretty for the cameraman . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kohler at the Beta Kid Dance. This picture was taken before they took their holy vows.



# ... Gamma Lambda Chapter

The chapter has been extremely fortunate in having as its hostess, Mrs. Harry Swope. Mrs. Swope has been associated with the fraternity since 1920 and has witnessed its growth and development. Perhaps there is no other person on the campus today who is better acquainted with the fraternity situation of the past, present, and future.

The fine scholastic record of the fraternity this year was augmented by a tie for the Phi Eta Sigma award for freshman scholarship and a high position among other fraternities for the entire chapter. During the first semester, the interfraternity athletic competition was dominated by the men of Beta. First places in swimming and softball were annexed along with the runner-up spot in basket-ball to hold the chapter highest in the field of sports.

For the first time in five years, a "Kid Dance" was held as the feature fall social event. This dance with its array of diapers, rompers, and Boy Scout suits, will be remembered as one of the best of the school year 1940-41. Other social events were the Turkey Pull and Spring Sport Dance.

Members of Gamma Lamda of Beta Theta Pi played an active part in the organization and activities of the campus. Beta Theta Pi was represented in no less than eighteen of the major honor organizations.

Presidents James Pollock and Bill Simank ably guided the fraternity during the first and second semesters.

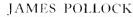
Don Boydston gained outstanding prominence in the publication field for his work on the three campus publications. Don was sports editor of the O'Collegian and REDSKIN and Production Editor of the Aggievator.

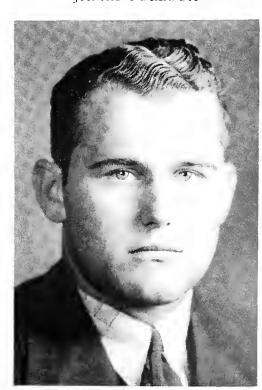
Among the athletes Boydston, Billy Munn, and Chester Stewart won individual championships in the Missouri Valley Conference meet.

Top Row, left to right—Bacon, Bass, Boydston, Burroughs, Cook, Covelle, Craft, Cross, Dedman, Drummond, Frank, Hensley, Holloway

Second Row-Kemp, Kenny, Koehler, Landgraf, Lindley, Munn, Nelson, Netherton, Payne, Pollock, Prichett, Rhode, Richert

Third Row-Rickman, Ross, Saxton, Short, Sills, Speairs, Simank, Stanfield, Tongue, Vandeburg, Warren, West, Wilbur







BOTTOMS UP!



# . PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

The purpose of the Women's Panhellenic is: "To maintain on a high plane fraternity life and interfraternity relationships, to coöperate with the college authorities in their efforts to maintain high social and scholarship standards throughout the whole college and fraternity world.

Panhellenic is composed of three representatives from each sorority; one alumnae, the president, and an underclass delegate.

The officers of Panhellenic are elected by a rotation process. The president, the secretary, and the treasurer are elected in the order of installation of their sorority on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus. The sorority holding the office of secretary one year will gain the office of president the next. The sorority holding the office of treasurer will have its representative in the office of secretary the next year and the following year the office of president. The order of installation of the women's fraternities on this campus is as follows: Kappa Delta, Pi Beta Phi, Kappa Alpha Theta, Chi Omega, Zeta Tau Alpha, Alpha Delta Pi, and Delta Zeta.

This year Panhellenic honored all new pledges with a banquet, which shortly followed rush week. All Panhellenic representatives were introduced, and the president of each sorority gave a report on their respective national conventions which they attended. The principal speaker of the occasion was Dean Julia E. Stout.

Each year Panhellenic sponsors a charity program at Christmas time. All the sororities prepare and distribute baskets to the needy families of Stillwater.

The seventh annual Panhellenic Spring Formal was held this year in March at Fiscus Hall. Chi Omega was in charge of the arrangements. The decorations and musical notes carried out the idea of harmony among the sororities which is the sole purpose and goal that Panhellenic strives to maintain.

ANNA LOU McCLELLAND



Jones, Picken, Dupree, McClellan, Mills, Thompson Maggard, McClellan, Mullendore, Whitney, Gill, Echols



# KAPPA DELTA...

Kappa Delta was founded October 23, 1897, at Virginia State College for Women. For the first ten years after its founding, Kappa Delta refused all northern petitions, granting charters only in select southern schools for women. Kappa Delta has been the first national sorority on more campuses than any other women's fraternity. It is one of the youngest sororities, but its growth has been the most rapid of any. However, Kappa Delta has never taken in a smaller sorority to gain chapters.

In 1903 the first national convention was held, and since that time has met biennially. The convention this year will meet at Swampscot, Massachusetts. In 1904 the Kappa Delta magazine, "The Angelous," was first published. "The Angelous" is printed quarterly, and each Kappa Delta receives a life subscription when she is initiated. This year Kappa Delta published a history in two volumes which is the only one of its kind. The most outstanding philanthropic project of Kappa Delta was begun in 1921. Kappa Delta supports a crippled children's hospital at Richmond, Virginia.



Minor, Blackledge, Weber, and Mills tell the girls how bridge is played . . . Get up, or you'll miss that 8:00 o'clock . . . Finity shows the gals a scrap book . . . Betty Jean Minor entertains with some mighty sweet music, maybe . . . Blackledge, Mills, and Hancock add their bits of interest to make a good bull session too inviting.



#### ... Nu Chapter

There are now seventy active chapters on the Kappa Delta roll, and one hundred and twenty-two alumnae chapters, some in the farthermost parts of the world. The membership totals more than 18,000. The central office, which is in St. Louis, Missouri, maintains supervision and control over the eight provinces, each of which has its own president.

There were thirty-eight Kappa Deltas in the last edition of "Who's Who in America." Some of the most outstanding are: Hildegarde Fillmore, Style and Beauty Editor of "McCall's"; Georgia O'Keefe, America's most noted woman artist; Helen Claire, Broadway star; Pearl S. Buck, Pulitzer Prize Winner, and Mrs. Florence McGuial Bankhead, wife of the late speaker of the House of Representatives. A famous Kappa Delta who is an alumnae of Nu chapter here at Oklahoma A. and M. is Maude Richman Calvert, authority on household economics and author of several books on that subject. She was the first woman ever to be selected as "the most outstanding citizen of Oklahoma City." She was chosen by the state legislature as "The Most Valuable Woman in Oklahoma," and named in the Hall of Fame.

The two main social events of Nu Chapter of Kappa Delta are the Pledge Presentation Dance in the fall, and the hayride in the spring. Dansants, teas, and small parties are given at intervals throughout the year.

Kappa Delta is active in campus affairs, with several members holding campus offices. Pauline Mills is Junior Member of the Board of Publications, a member of the Student Senate, Fourth Estate, and Panhellenic. Lethamaye Crossman is secretary-treasurer of the Senior class, secretary of Sigma Alpha Sigma, honorary secretarial fraternity; and member of the Commerce Student Council.

Top Row, left to right—Bailey, Branson, A. Blair, J. Blair, Blackledge, Box, Cavness, Clingenpeel, Cooke, Crossman, Cupp, D'Armand, Finity, Freeman

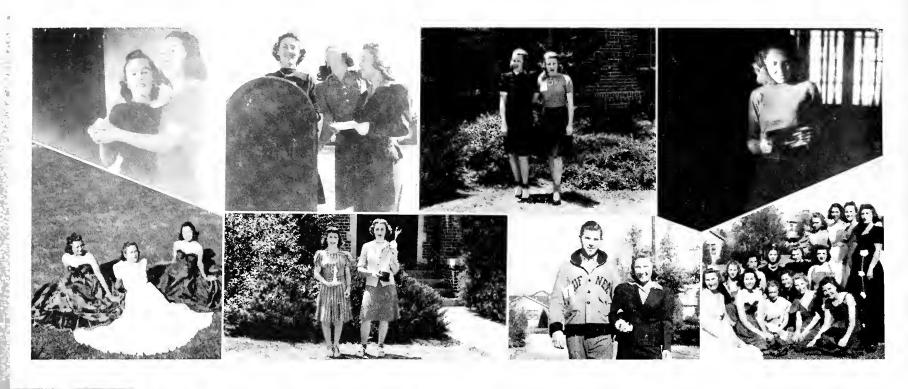
Second Row—Gudgel, Hall, H. Hancock, M. Hancock, Heard, Herod, Herrian, Herron, Hill, Hobbs, Hoke, Hunter, Jeneman, Kenworthy

Third Row—Kirksey, Leachman, Luebker, Mager, Mann, Mills, P. Mills, Minor, McClung, Neilson, Owen, Patterson, Phillips

Fourth Row—Pierce, Schott, Selph, Stokes, Thompson, Tourtelotte, Torrance, V. Torrance, Valkenburg, Webber, Whipple, Williams, Zurmehly

PEGGY THOMPSON





# KAPPA ALPHA THETA...

Kappa Alpha Theta was founded at Depauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, on January 27, 1870, by four "coeds", Bettie Locke Hamilton, Alice Allan Brant, Betty Tipton Lindsey, and Hannah Fitch Shaw. Bettie Locke Hamilton, the last of these founders, has died only within the past year. K. A. T. was the first Greek-letter fraternity founded for women. Through its development of the basic principle on which the fraternity was founded—"to be an incentive to social, intellectual, and moral growth", K. A. T. has remained one of the foremost national women's fraternities. The fraternity colors are black and gold, and are symbolized in the black and gold pansy; the badge is fashioned in the shape of a kite.

A scholarship fund assists worthy members to complete their college education. Nationally prominent Thetas include Helen Jacobs, of tennis fame; Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings, author of "The Yearling"; and Mrs. Wendell Willkie. A fellowship is awarded each year to a member of the fraternity to be used for graduate study.



May I have the pleasure of this dance? . . . Fowler and Randall see that Reed gets her letter safely mailed. Hague and Maggard are proud of the newly won trophies of Theta . . . Oare and Oare . . . Hallum reads her letter from home??? . . . Clark and Reed enjoy a walk between their afternoon classes . . . Thetas all don their formals.



#### ... Beta Zeta Chapter

Beta Zeta chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta was installed on this campus on July 3, 1919. Mrs. James E. Berry, wife of the lieutenant-governor of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Maude Kite, president of the Oklahoma City Y. W. C. A., are outstanding alumnae members of the local chapter.

Kappa Alpha Theta received the Panhellenic scholarship cup for 1940, thus achieving the record of having won the award seven out of the last ten years. The fraternity also won first place for a skit at the Coed Prom this year. Jean Maggard, president of the chapter, was among those who were members of the active chapter of Achafoa when it was installed as Mortar Board in the fall, as was Eleanor Young. Dorris Moore, O Club queen of last year, served as a member of the Student Senate, and was in charge of the campus' Sadie Hawkins Week in the spring. Virginia Mae Price reigned during the year as Aggie Princess. Margie Hawkins is recognized as one of the outstanding dramatic readers on the campus. Songstress Margie Dell Oare has also been popular for her dramatic work.

Social events during the year included the Founder's Day banquet on January

27, to which came Thetas from throughout the state. At this banquet Mrs. Clarissa Schouter Robinson, who became a Theta fifty years ago, was honored. The chapter gave two dansants, one in the fall and one in the spring semester.

Faculty members at the college who are Thetas include Mrs. David E. Hilles, Speech; Dr. Gladys M. Kinsman, Household Science; and Mrs. Adaline Ledbetter, Household Arts.

Officers of Kappa Alpha Theta have been Jean Maggard, president; Harriet Huston, vice-president; Eleanor Young, corresponding secretary; Muriel Ronk, treasurer; Jean Steitz, house manager.

JEAN MAGGARD



Top Row, left to right—Andrews, Beckstrom, Boedecker, Brown, Davis, Dawson, B. Etchison, V. Etchison, Flesher, Fowler, Francis, Glass, Gray

Second Row—Hague, Hawkins, Hock, Hogan, Hallum, Huggins, Hunter, Huston, Kinzie, Kratz, Ledbetter, Maggard, Montgomery, Moore

Third Row—Moore, McBride, McClellan, McGee, Norris, Oare, Owen, Claypool, Clifton, Pemberton, Pollock, Price, Randall, Reed

Fourth Row—Roberts, Ronk, Sandidge, Settle, Sherwood, Steitz, Stitt, Swank, Taylor, Thatcher, Webber, West, Wirick, Young



#### PI BETA PHI...

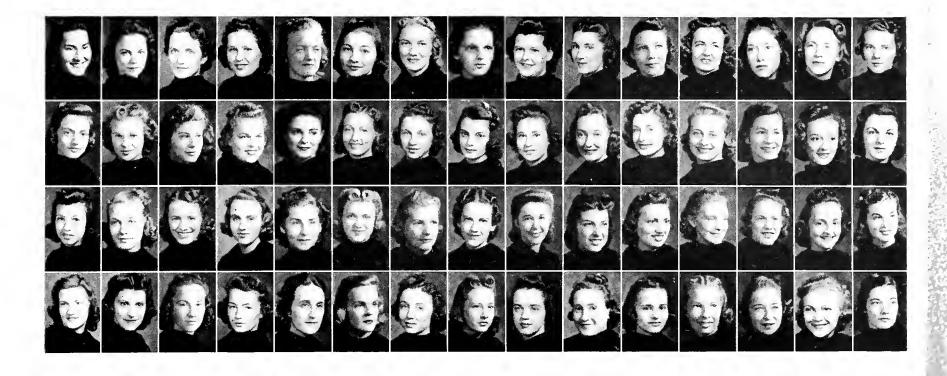
Because Greek letter fraternities were not allowed on this campus until 1915, an organization of six girls were known in 1911 as the "Owls". This group later took the name of Beta Phi, and with two other local sororities formed the first Women's Panhellenic. A group of twenty girls, members of Beta Phi, petitioned Pi Beta Phi. On August 12, 1919, they were granted a charter and became members of the Oklahoma Beta chapter.

Pi Beta Phi was founded on April 28, 1867, at Monmouth College, under the name of I. C. Sororis. In 1889, after more than twenty years under this name, the fraternity incorporated under the Greek letters meaning Pi Beta Phi. The colors chosen were wine red and silver blue, symbolized in the wine carnation. A tiny golden arrow, bearing the Greek letters Pi Beta Phi across the feather with a loop chain from the shaft, was chosen as the fraternity badge. The pledge pin is a golden arrowhead.

Pi Beta Phi was the first organization of college women established as a national fraternity and at present includes eighty-eight chapters.



Pi Phi's really fix up for Home-coming . . . Whitney, Cunning-ham, Stidham, Cameron, and Markland feed their mouths . . . Smith and Whitney try to study the easy way . . . The girls pose for picture in Pi Phi back yard . . . All bundled up and ready to go to class . . . Price, Taylor, Cameron, and Matteson talk things over.



#### ... Oklahoma Beta Chapter

In 1912 Pi Beta Phi founded a settlement at Gatlinburg, Tennessee. This was the first altruistic work of its kind. It stands as a memorial to the founders of the fraternity. This settlement school offers child and adult training for the people of the Tennessee mountains, both in curricular and vocational lines. The Balfour Cup and the Stoolman Vase are awarded annually to the chapters which meet their responsibilities to their colleges, their national organization, and themselves in the best manner. In addition to this, an annual graduate fellowship of \$500 is awarded to one Pi Beta Phi graduate each year.

Organizations in which members and pledges have participated this year include Home Economics Club, Orange Quill, Orange and Black Quill, Terpsichorian Club, Players Club, Chemical Society, Sigma Alpha Iota, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, W. S. G. A. Boards, Daily O'Collegian, Fourth Estate, Education Student Council, Commerce Student Council, Arts and Science Council, Aggievator, Peppers. Omicron Nu, W.A.A., Speakers Club, Pan-American Student Forum, Board of Publications, Radio Club, League of Young Democrats, and Chi Delta Phi.

Among the outstanding achievements of members on the campus this year were the winning of first place in the intersorority tennis tournament and in the badminton tournament by Mary Louise Smelser, giving first honors to the fraternity as a whole. Vice-President Barbara Smith was elected Redskin popularity queen, and Ruth Ann Hoke took honors as bathing beauty queen.

Officers for the coming year are Lois Falkenburg, president; Barbara Smith, vice-president; Lida Jean Steph, secretary; Lucy Cunningham, house manager; Doris Mullendore, treasurer and Pan-hellenic representative; Margarett Markland, corresponding secretary; and June Gouin, historian.

Top Row, left to right—Bailey, Ballenger, Bonar, Cameron, Cochran, Coldiron, Corbin, M. Cunningham, L. Cunningham, Curtin, Drummond, Edwards, Elliott, V. Elliott, Erickson

Second Row-Falkenberg, Friedell, Gieger, Guinn, Graham, Griffith, Gouin, Hamm, Harrell, Highfill, Hinds, Hoel, Hoke, Horner, Hutcherson

Third Row-Jacobs, Lyon, Markland, Matteson, Morton, Needham, Orr, Page, Penwell, Perdue, Plumer, Price, Pulver, Riggs, Roberts

Fourth Row-J. Sawyer, J. Sawyer, Sharp, Shockley, Smelser, Smith, Sprayberry, Stangel, Steddom, Steph, Stewart, Swim, Vance, Whitney, Wilhite

LOUISE WHITNEY





## CHI OMEGA...

Chi Omega was founded as a national fraternity at the University of Arkansas, April 5, 1895. Chi Omega now has 92 active chapters and 58 alumnae groups.

The colors of Chi Omega are the cardinal and straw. The flower is the white carnation. The badge consists of a gold monogram of the Greek letters Chi over the letters Omega, which letter displays on its arch the letters Rho, Beta, Upsilon, Eta, Sigma. On either side is the owl and cross bones. The pledge pin is of gold with the letters Chi Omega on a black background.

In memory of its founding, the national organization of Chi Omega completed the financing of the Greek Amphitheater at the University of Arkansas in 1931.

Chi Omega presents a national achievement award each year to the American woman who has made outstanding contributions to the "culture of the world". The award is a gold medal and is a symbol of outstanding achievement among women.

Each year the organization presents an award to the outstanding sociology student on the campus. This fund is presented by the local chapter to the person selected by a faculty committee.



Horn, Meadors, and Hall . . . McClelland, Jonas, and Hall pose on front steps of Chi Omega house . . . Peyton and Kirk, Chio hashers, with their well known steadies, Jonas and Driskell . . . Singley and Horn lock Hall in bear's cage . . . Hall and Meadors make fun of Horn. My, what a face! Dark and Booker . . . Deupree looks back for cameraman.



#### ... Jau Beta Chapter

Originally a southern sorority, Chi Omega now is a nation-wide women's fraternity. The open declaration of the group is "Hellenic culture and Christian ideals".

The Tau Beta Chapter of Chi Omega was installed on this campus on October 13, 1921, as the fifth national sorority founded on the campus.

Kappa Chi, a local sorority on the A. and M. campus, petitioned Chi Omega in 1919 for a chapter on the campus. October 30, 1921, Tau Beta of Chi Omega became the 47th chapter of national at Oklahoma A. and M. College. There were nine charter members.

They were: Pauline Morris Woods, Helen Heck, Edith Titus Wharton, Mary Weiss, Nora A. Talbot, Lela Sturgis, Clarice Aldrich, Leona Watkins Winn, and Helen Beatty Miller. This group has grown to the present local chapter of 54 members.

Outstanding members of Chi Omega include: Neva Mae Deupree, senior senator representative on the student council; Rosemary Tompkins, president of Y. W.

C. A., member of Mortar Board, and treasurer of the A. W. S. executive board; Hazel Mitchell, vice-president of A. W. S., president of Pi Zeta Kappa,, and treasurer of Sigma Alpha Iota; Betty Jonas, president of Epsilon Pi and a member of Mortar Board; Anna Lou McClelland, president of Women's Panhellenic and member of A. W. S. Executive Board.

During the past year, the Chi Omegas have been active in the Inter-Sorority Athletic Contest and bridge tournament.

Queens elected during the first semester of the year, 1940-41, include: Marion Booker, representing Stillwater in the Royal Livestock Beauty Contest; Betty Lee Powell, Hell Hound Sweetheart; Freshman Queen, Martha Belle Hadden.

NEVA MAE DEUPREE



Top Row, left to right—Angevine, Baker, Baze, Berry, Bond, Booker, Butler, Butterly, Campbell, Clift, Conner, Covelle, Cross, Daniel

Second Row—Driskoll, Dunn, Dupree, Finnell, Freeman, Green, Hadden, Hall, Hampton, Heafle, Horn, Howe, Jonas, Kennedy

Third Row-Klein, Knox, Letts, Lewis, Martin, Meadows, Mitchell, Morris, McClelland, Walker, Wright, Orr, Phillips, Potts

Fourth Row-Powell, Precure, Reed, Richard, Reif, Smith, Spangler, Stanley, Sturm, Tedford, Tompkins, Townsend, Turner



# ZETA TAU ALPHA...

Zeta Tau Alpha, one of the oldest of the southern born fraternities for women to bear a Greek name at the time of its founding, is the sixth largest of the 22 National Panhellenic Congress fraternities for women. It has granted eighty charters and now has over one hundred chartered alumnae groups. Membership of the group is now over the 14,000 mark. Zeta was founded by a small, select group of attractive daughters of land-holding Virginia families. Expansion began immediately and soon spread northward even into Canada. Although early meetings were first held in 1897, Zeta's founding date is given as 1898, at the Virginia State Normal School, Farmville, Virginia. Chartered as a legal corporation in 1902, it became the first woman's fraternity to be chartered by a special act of the legislature. One of the most widely known philanthropies and Zeta's superb gesture in giving is her Health Center in Currin Valley, Virginia. The object of the fraternity is the intensifying of friendship, the fostering of the spirit of love, the creating of such sentiments, the performing of such deeds, and the moulding of such opinions as will be conducive to the building up of a nobler and purer



Zeta Tau's have Christmas party... Epperly phones A. G. R. house... The girls go out to build a snow man... Donnelly, Gill, and Berta give the Zeta house that Yule-tide atmosphere... The Zeta Tau bob sled. Donnelly, Lindsey, and Murphy give Gill her flying lessons... Lancaster prepares for the enemy... Bridge enthusiasts.



# ... Alpha Upsilon Chapter

womanhood in the world.

The interest of the sorority, naturally, for many years, lay in the southern schools. But it was not long before the strength of these southern chapters spread the splendid reputation of Zeta Tau Alpha among the schools of the north, and soon petitions were received from many northern schools. The sorority has grown until it now possesses seventy-three active chapters in the United States, and one in Canada, and only eight chapters on the inactivity list.

Publications include: The History; Song Book; Directory; The Chain, daily paper published at the Convention; The Link, for members only; Themis, quarterly magazine; The Etiquette Compilation; The Manual for Actives and Alumnae; The Manual for Pledges; and the Chaperon's Guide Book. The most important of these is The Themis, which gives up to date news from all the chapters.

The Alpha Upsilon chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha was installed at Oklahoma A. and M. College on September 15, 1923.

For the second successive year, the Zeta Tau house was the setting for the

prize winning Homecoming decoration. A patriotic theme was used. A huge red, white, and blue cannon sprung from the doorway, over which was placed a streamer saying, "Boomtime for the Aggies," and it really was a winning time for everyone. On the street side of the house was a sixteen foot figure of the Zetas' patron goddess, Themis.

Zetas were especially active in campus activities this past year. Bette Marie Chauncey and Nancy Echols were initiated into Mortar Board, and Annagene Lindsey, Madeline McClain, Lois Lee McClain, and Jane Stander were chosen for Fourth Estate. GERTRUDE GILL



Top Row, left to right—Faye Evelyn Anthis, Pauline Berta, Ruth Bobo, Eileen Breckenridge, Betty M. Chauncey, Doris Clubb, Jacquenette Cummings, Dixie Donnelly, Nancy Echols, Charla Faye Epperley, Gertrude Gill

Second Row—Ruth Graham, Mary Margaret Hall, Claudia Hayman, Mary Hayman, Lois Jacob, Mary Delight Johnson, Ada L. Kimble, Nelda Lancaster, Myra Lee, Anna Gene Lindsay, Mildred Maxwell

Third Row—Lois Lee McClain, Madelene McLain, Mildred Rodesney, Collene Ross, Jocile Taylor, Billie L. Thompson, Leatrice Smiley, Jane Stander, Rowena Stander, Glee Sweeny



# ALPHA DELTA PI...

College education for women was still an innovation when the Adelphean Society was founded on May 15, 1851, by sixteen courageous and adventurous girls at Wesleyan College, Macon, Georgia. It was the first secret sisterhood for college women. In 1904, it was legally incorporated under Georgia State law as Alpha Delta Phi sorority, abandoning its original name of Adelphean Society. At the time of nationalization, Alpha Chapter had sixty active members and 3,000 alumnae. When it was discovered in 1913 that there was a northern fraternity by the name of Alpha Delta Phi, the letters were changed to Alpha Delta Pi. The standards of the sorority and its ritual as used in 1940 are very similar to those introduced in 1851. The background of idealism was reflected in the precept that no girl might be taken into the sorority except "such as may commend themselves for their intellectual and moral worth, dignity of character, and propriety of deportment." The open motto, "We Live for Each Other," has come down through the history of the organization unchanged. Although it is reduced in size, the diamond shaped pin shows the name symbols as in 1851.



Clawson pals with A. D. P. trained poodle . . . Ziggie and Mathis are faithful buddies . . . Benbrook, Rutledge, and Mathis get their fill . . . Pickens takes a great interest at Convention . . . Clawson and Edmundson take their hound for a walk . . . Jack Pickens hardly at work. It would certainly be hard to believe if it were not for the picture. Pictures don't lie.



#### ... Alpha Omicron Chapter

The sorority has four national funds of prominence: (a) The Adelphean endowment, which is for the perpetuation of the quarterly magazine; (b) The Building and Loan fund, which is available to all chapters for building or furnishing their chapter houses; (c) The Abigail Davis Student Loan fund is available to aid members in completing their college education; (d) The 1851 Memorial Fellowship Fund is maintained as a living memorial to the founders of the sorority. Income from this fund is used for fellowship grants as outright gifts to graduates who wish to complete graduate study at home or abroad in any chosen academic field. In addition, a fellowship of \$250, is granted annually at Wesleyan College to "daughters, granddaughters, or other relatives of members of Alpha Delta Pi."

In the year 1940, just ten years short of its 100th anniversary of founding, Alpha Delta Pi proudly claims sixty active chapters, evenly distributed throughout the United States and Canada. It has a membership totaling more than 17,000 and chapter houses valued in excess of \$1,000,000.

The Alpha Omicron chapter of Alpha Delta Pi was re-installed on the Okla-

homa A. and M. College campus on October 21, 1939. Organizations in which members and pledges have participated this year include: Epsilon Pi, W. A. A., Home Economics Club, Terpsichorian, Players Club, Commerce Student Council, Y. W. C. A., A. W. S., Peppers, Orchestra, Glee Club, Kappa Phi, Sigma Alpha Iota, Pi Zeta Kappa.

The offices of Vice-President and Secretary and Treasurer of the Junior Class were held by Nancy Pollard and Jean Cooley respectively. Jeanne Pickens, President, won a cash prize for the highest grades of any Sophomore in the School of Commerce. Jean Cooley, the Live Science Department's candidate, was elected Aggie Princess for the coming school year.



Top Row, left to right—Abrams, Bacon, M. Bacon, Benbrook, Benson, G. Benson, Byrd, Clawson, D. Cooley, J. Cooley, Davis, Day, Drybread, Edmundson Second Row—Greer, Hughes, Jones, Litson, Mason, Mathis, Morgan, McPherson, Oliver, Pickens, Pinney, Pollard, Reed, Reinauer

Third Row-Ransom, Rutledge, Schroeder, T. Schroeder, Stanaland, Statler, Stranahan, Thompson, Trollinger, Truitt, Vest, Wick, Windsor, Wolfe, Young, Ziegenhain



#### DELTA ZETA...

Delta Zeta was founded at Miami University by six girls in 1902. There are now fifty-four active chapters, and the total valuation of property owned is \$527,-400. Twenty-two cities have alumnae chapters. A national council of five members, which may hold meetings during the interim of biennial conventions, administers the government of the sorority. The chapters are grouped into seven provinces with a president over each. Each chapter has an alumnae adviser who is responsible to the national council. A province convention where the active and alumnae chapters of each province meet is held the years there is not a national convention. A central office is maintained in Indianapolis, Indiana. The most important publication of Delta Zeta is *The Lamp*, which is published quarterly.

Delta Zeta comes back on the campus! Just as surely as six girls put their heads together at Miami University to form a sorority with the lamp as their symbol of membership, so now twenty girls are bringing back to A. and M.'s campus that same sorority with the same light to light their paths of fine friendship, service, and loyalty to womanhood's highest ideals.



Crow, Walby, Ireland, and Edsel discuss that fine new house that they are building... Baker has found a new companion. Rogers is frightened on her first bicycle ride. Baker, Matthews, and their dates explore the banks of Theta Pond... Baker, Matthews, and Rooker rate a car... Rooker stops Prexy Hester for a chat in front of Murray.



# ... ALPHA EPSILON

The local chapter, along with Delta Zeta chapters all over the United States, has presented a monthly series of Standard programs for discussing current events, fine arts, study, and character building as the core of this program. Delta Zeta's social service project is the Delta Zeta Community Center for mountain people at Vest, Kentucky. Now a huge clinic concentrates its efforts on health and social welfare of the community of over 500 persons, while a community hall contains a library and affords recreation and entertainment to the folk of this isolated mountain district.

The girls are thrilled about their new and exciting, rambling ranch-style chapter house. The architect worked night and day, and the girls bombarded his door for every new idea he handed out, or as they rushed in with their own architectural brain storms. The house is to accommodate twenty girls. This is in keeping with the national sorority movement for smaller, more compact sorority groups. Dancing about and squeals of joy occurred when the first shovelful of ground was removed on April first.

Friendships grew, and pledging thrived as the alumnae held chocolate hours and buffet suppers for rushing purposes. The group increased by leaps and bounds. Through enthusiasm and courage, these girls got together for their first spring formal dance on this campus. They decorated Fiscus Hall up in the style of the Old South, and displayed the usual Delta Zeta hospitality.

The President of Delta Zeta is Annie Sue Hester; Vice-President is Annabelle Barnes; and their Secretary-Treasurer is Dorothy Crow.

Delta Zeta takes a great interest in campus activities. Members of Delta Zeta are represented in the following organizations: Alpha Pi Mu, Sigma Alpha Sigma, W. A. A., Y. W. C. A., A. W. S., Kappa Phi Terpsichorean, Home Economics Club, Pi Epsilon Alpha, Peppers, Aggiettes.

Top Row, left to right—Baker, Barnes, Carter, Conger, Crow, Dixon, M. Edsel, N. Edsel Second Row—Helberg, Hester, Ireland, Rogers, Rooker, Waldby, Matthews, Woodsmall

ANNIE SUE HESTER





# ... DORMITORIES



IFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A, AND M. COLLEGI



Top Row, left to right—President Martha Nelson, Abbott, Abrams, Anderson, V. Anderson, Armstrong, Aston, Baldwin, Baker, L. Baker

Second Row—Barclay, Barnard, Beck, J. Beck, Beckham, Benninghoff, Biggs, Blevins, Bocaston

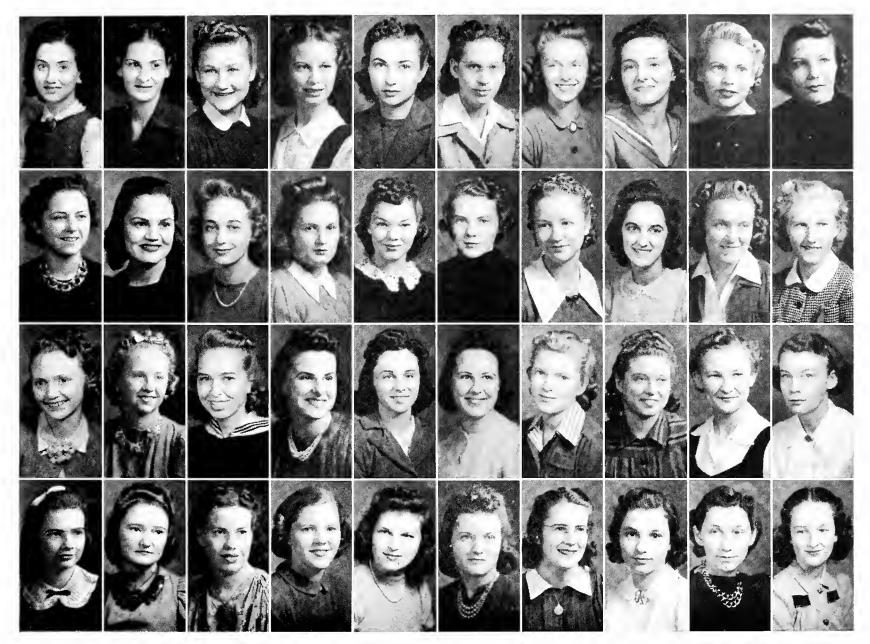
Third Row—Bowker, Bradley, Bray, Briggs, Bullock, Byrd, Byler, Bynum, Carroll, Carter, Clark

Fourth Row—Chambers, Coldiron, Coleman, Collins, Colville, Conley, Conrey, Corson, Covington, Cummings

Murray Hall, a beautiful structure of modified Georgian design, commanding an excellent view of Theta pond and campus buildings, is said to be the second largest girls' dormitory in the United States. For six years Murray Hall's approximately five hundred women residents have been active participants in campus activities.

Murray Hall is named in honor of William H. Murray, who was governor of Oklahoma at the time of the construction of the building, and whose portrait in oil by Count "O De Zyaak" now hangs in the attractive blue parlor.

Mrs. Maud Latimer, Head Resident, and Mrs. Harriett Johnson, Head of the Annex, are the gracious hostesses who guide and direct the student residents. The office assistants are Mrs. Elmore Gassaway and Mrs. Cora Sanford.



Top Row, left to right—Deason, Dickson, Diehl, Dillon, Divley, Dixon, Doggett, Dooley, Downey, Drummond Second Row—Dunlap, Eaton, Ellis, Elston, Estill, Erickson, Evans, Farha, Farrer, Fervory Third Row—Flickinger, Ford, W. Ford, A. Fox, M. Fox, N. Fox, Frost, Gault, Gelmers, Gilbert Fourth Row—Goins, Gooch, Goodall, Green, Hall, M. Hall, N. Hall, Hanson, Harris, J. Harris

Mrs. Anna Stringfield is educational adviser, director of the eight student counselors, who assist the students with problems incident to college life, and aid in classroom work in specific subject matter. The counselors and student proctors are the untiring workers who supervise study hours and help freshmen and sophomores over scholastic difficulties. The counselors for the present year are Betty Joe Smith, Louise England, Blanche Harris, Margaret Knox, Virginia Morgan, Inez Clubb, Versa Stines, and Ella Mae West. The student proctors are Claudina Frost, Jerry Meek, Helen Dunlap, Francis Farrar, Margaret Dobbyn, Catherine Robinson, Evelyn Wolf, Madeline Khur, Kathaleen Zickefoose, Phyllis Jeanne Ford, Erma Lee Tinsley, and Margaret Bullock.



Top Row, left to right—M. Harris, Heath, Hedricks, Henderson, Hildinger, Hilditch, Herrian, Hogan, Hollis, Hoover Second Row—Hudson, Humphries, Hutchins, Heitchsmidt, Ives, Jaggers, Johnson, E. Johnson, M. Johnson, Keeter Third Row—Keiser, Kelly, Kimbell, Kirkwood, Koenig, Kreigh, Lancaster, Lawson, Lockridge, Love Fourth Row—Manor, Matthews, M. Matthews, May, Meiresh, Miler, E. Miller, H. Miller, Moore

After much serious thought, deliberation, and discussion last spring, the girls chose Martha Nelson to fill the important position of president and Laura Belle Sherwood to fill the post of secretary and treasurer.

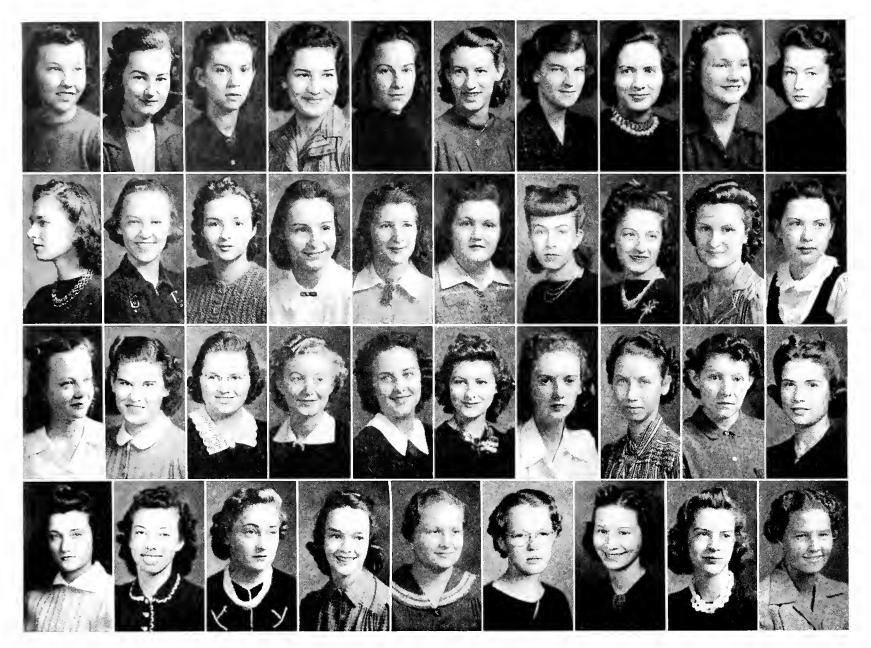
Each resident has a voice in the government of the hall through the elected council members on her floor. The floor presidents are Jane Gratton, Adeline Fox, Margaret Bullock, Catherine Robinson, Margaret Dobbyn, and Merrlyn Stephens. The A. W. S. representatives are Jerry Meek, Claudina Frost, Jacqueline Swift, Neata Fox, Helen Patterson, and Roberta Kirkwood; Virgie Ruth Duck, art chairman; Ella Taylor, historian; and Mary Carter, social chairman.

The "Murray Megaphone," a news sheet published by the council each month, serves as an information bureau by listing the activities of the council and the social events in the hall.



Top Row, left to right-Moraham, Morgan, Morris, Muse, McAllister, McCallan, McClung, McClure, McCorkle, Second Row-McIntosh, Nelson, N. Nelson, Nye, Orr, Overton, Owensby, Parrett, Parsons, Patterson Third Row-Phelps, Plumkett, Porter, Post, Poteet, Pound, Precure, Priboth, Price, Randall Fourth Row-Rash, Reisinger, Reuzecka, Roberts, Robinson, O. Robinson, Rogers, M. Rogers, Rooker

The dormitory has gone through the usual whirl of social events by having open house, Christmas dance, spring dance, various special guest dinners, a breakfast honoring graduating seniors, and a short social period in the recreation room each evening after dinner. One of the most popular activities is the social tea. One day each week from three to five tea is served to the girls as they come in from classes. Many a grave problem is solved over the tea cups in our spacious parlors. One of the loveliest social events of the year was the Christmas party at which time Dean Julia E. Stout led the girls in singing Christmas carols. The evening was one of inspiration and good fellowship.



Top Row, left to right—Root, Santee, Schooling, Schumpert, Sharp, Shawver, Sheeham, Shimp, Shipp, Shockley Second Row—Shubart, Siler, Simmons, Smart, Smith, Stewart, Sturm, Sublett, Swaim, Swift Third Row—Swiggert, Terry, Thomas, Thompson, Tinsley, Tribble, Turner, Tyler, Tyner, Van Valkenburg Fourth Row—Van Blarcum, Walker, Westmoreland, Whitford, Wilson, Winget, Witte, Wright, Yetman

The large cheerful dining hall located on the ground floor of the larger hall is under the supervision of Miss Rachael Johnstone, the ever coöperative and efficient head dietitian.

Murray Hall girls are among the leaders in campus activities and outside social affairs. They hold their own as leaders in the various organizations, and take their turn at dancing, bridge playing, tennis, bicycling, and the movies, as well as in honor societies.

Each year since Murray Hall has been occupied, the girls have left a gift. This year it is gas logs for the fireplaces in the North and South parlors.

Through the years the girls have gradually established traditions and policies which have created a wholesome feeling of unity and friendship in Murray Hall.



Top Row, left to right—President Marjorie Johnson, Allred, Bacon, Barber, Barksdale, Barrick, Bateman, Bates, Beaty Second Row—Billingsley, Black, Bleubaugh, Bloyd, B. Brown, M. Brown, Bunch, H. Byrd Third Row—M. Byrd, Cable, Campbell, Carpenter, Chastain, Christy, Clark, Cochrane, Coffland, Cox Fourth Row—Crowman, Cruzan, Curray, Dalby, Danhour, Daniel, E. Davis, Douglas, Downey, Drinnan Fifth Row—Duncan, Durrett, Eisenschmidt, Estill, Dora Evans, M. Evans, Fender, Ferris, Ficken, Filson

Willard Hall, housing approximately 400 girls made its debut on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus last year. To the designer, it is an architectural triumph, combining the rare elements of artistic beauty, modern efficiency, and comfort. To the girls who call it their home, it is symbolic of lasting friendships and the spirit of democracy.

The exterior is of modified Georgian architecture, while the interior reflects modernistic treatment of Eighteenth Century furnishings accentuated by two small living rooms done in Early American and Chinese Chippendale styles. The individual rooms are furnished with twin maple suites.

Mrs. Kate Massey, hostess, assisted by Mrs. Virginia Pope, have made the Hall liveable and homelike by building up a friendly cooperative loyalty among



Top Row, left to right—Fisher, Flaxman, Gatewood, Gibbs, Graham, Green, Gregory, Griffith, Gunther Second Row—Hamill, Hansen, Hargis, Heard, B. Heilman, M. Heilman, Hester, Hill, Hix Third Row-Holman, Holt, Hoover, Hough, House, Howeth, Hummel, Hunt, Huston Fourth Row-Hutchinson, Imach, Ingle, Jackson, Jensen, J. Johnson, Jones, Keith, Keller, Kennedy Fifth Row-Lackey, Lacquemont, Lasley, Lawerence, Lemter, Leonard, Lewis, Lindeman, Luthi, Martin

the girls. Supporting them in this work is Miss Vesta Etchison, Y. W. C. A. Secretary and Freshman Advisor. She is a ready friend to any girl on the campus who needs her. Routine management of the residence hall is done through the head resident, aided by student proctors and full time assistants. Counselors, who are graduate women, supervise study hours, and are chaired by the Freshman Advisor.

Social events include a Christmas dance and a spring dance held in the hall, open house, a Deans' Dinner, at which time all the deans on the campus are guests of Willard Hall, a senior breakfast honoring senior women in the hall, and other occasional affairs.

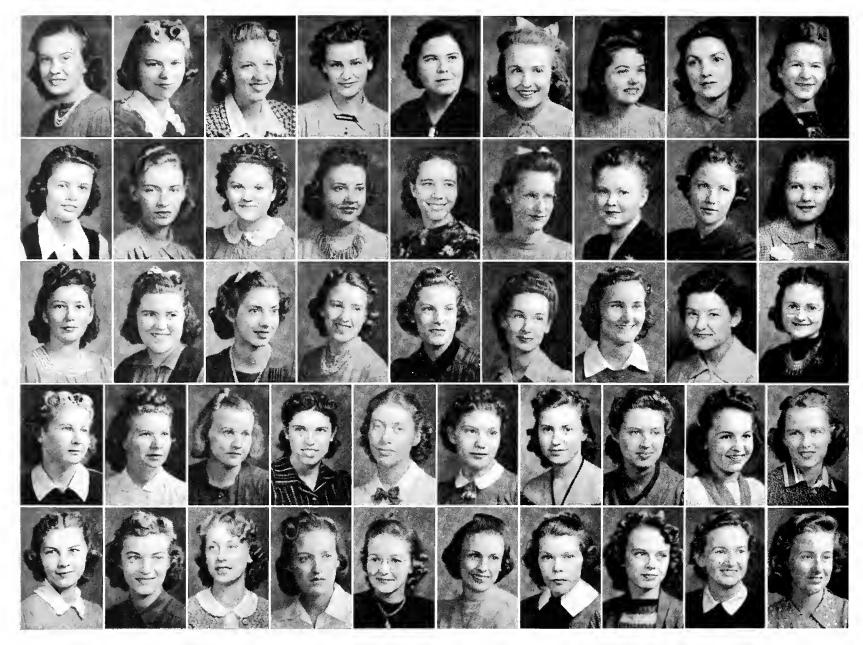


Top Row, left to right—J. Mason, L. Mason, Matthew, Mershon, E. Miller, M. Miller, Montgomery, Moore, Morrison Second Row—Morton, Moyer, Murphy, McArthur, McBee, McCasky, McClung, McCormick, McCrary Third Row—McDaniels, McElroy, McNeil, McReynolds, Newton, North, Donovan, Olinger, Overstreet Fourth Row—Overton, Owings, Parker, Petree, Petros, D. Phillips, G. Phillips, Philpott, Pierce, Pagree Fifth Row—Pollard, Puckett, Purcell, Putman, Reynolds, Robins, A. Runyon, V. Runyon, Scruggs, Seward

The government of the Hall is vested in a house council, the membership of which is elected by the girls living in the hall. The council is composed of president, secretary and treasurer, floor presidents, A. W. S. representatives, and the chairmen of standing committees. To share the activities of the representative group with other members of the hall, a news sheet entitled the "Council Echo" is distributed to all the residents.

Willard Hall residents participate not only in dormitory affairs but also are active in campus activities. This year, as it has been in the past, many of the outstanding students on the campus have resided in Willard Hall. Two of the outstanding women of the class of 1941 are Dorothy Jones and Marjorie Johnson.

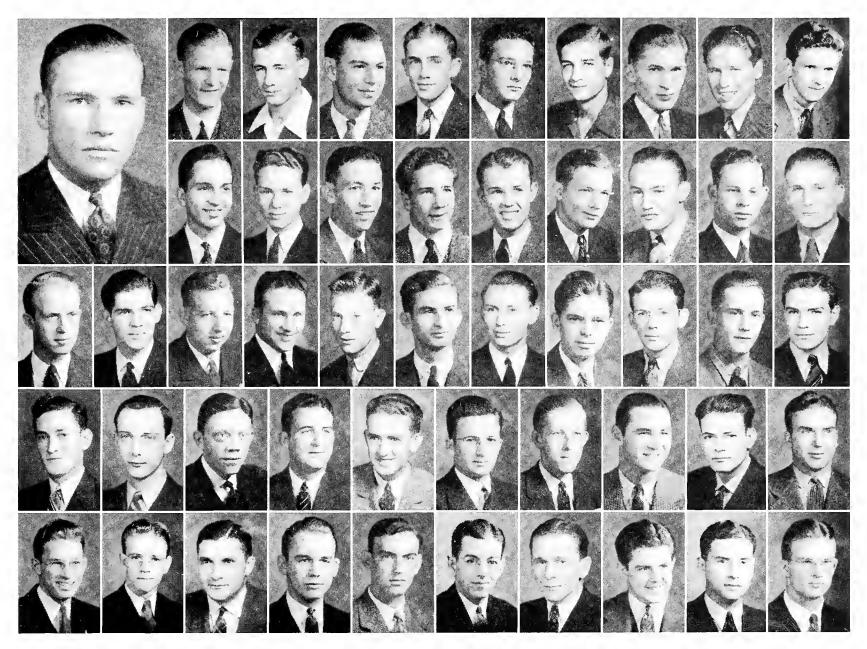
At the beginning of the first semester, an oil painting of Frances E. Willard,



Top Row, left to right—Shaw, Shelby, Shunkamola, Sipple, Sloan, P. Smith, A. Smith, Sowers, Spann Second Row—Spurlock, Stegall, Stephenson, Stone, Stringfield, Strom, Tayor, Thompson, Thurman Third Row—Turner, Turrill, Vance, Vann, Van Pelt, Vernon, Vasser, Vieth, Wainwright Fourth Row—Walker, Ward, Warner, Warner, C. Wassen, L. Wassen, Watkin, Whitfield, Whorton, Wiegman Fifth Row—1. Williams, Wolfe, Woodard, Wornum, B. Wright, E. Wright, Wentz, Yandell, York, Fishback

in whose honor the hall was named, was presented to the dormitory. This portrait now hangs in the main living room. The crest of Willard Hall includes the basic ideals and principles for which this great woman strived for during her life.

Those persons to whom credit should be given for the successful activitites of Willard Hall throughout the year include: President, Majorie Johnson; Secretary and Treasurer, Viola Cox; Vice-Presidents who are also presidents of the respective floors from which they are elected, Marguerite Downey, Jean Keith, Mary Alice Stephenson, Mary Jane Vance; A. W. S. representative, Mary Louise Spurlock, Juanita Davis, Alice Brown, Betty Overmiller, Jewel Dean Peterman, and Velma Ficken; Social Chairman, Margaret Ann Eisenschmidt; Art Chairman, Elizabeth Lawhon; Historian, Lorene Wulz; and Reporter, Ailene Smith.



Top Row, left to right—President Ross Harlan, Abercrombie, Abrams, Adams, Andrea, Askew, Aubrey, Baird, Baker, Barbre

Second Row—Bass, Bates, Benbrook, Benton, Berryman, Block, Boggs, Bone, Bonham

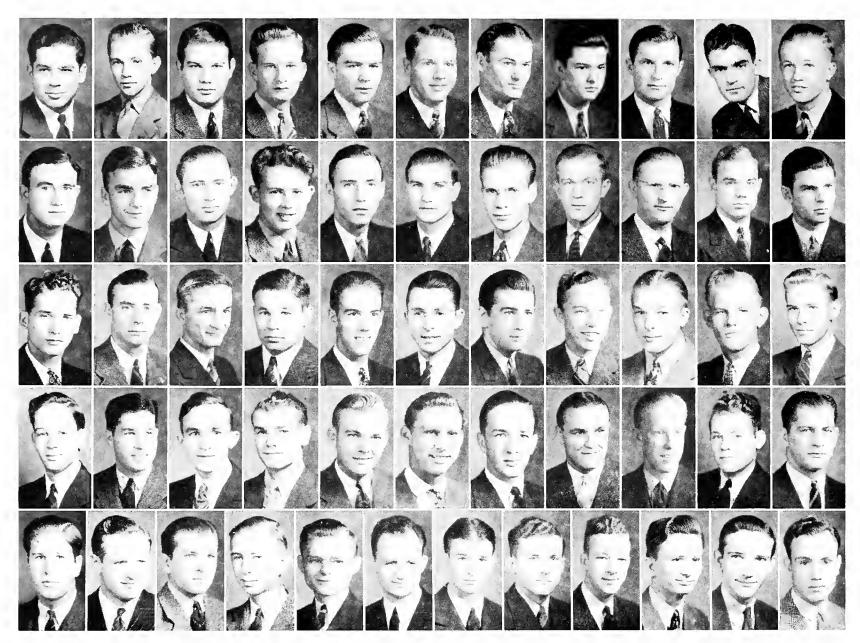
Third Row—Bradford, Brock, Brooks, Brotherton, Brown, Brown, Buder, Burns, Butefish, Caldwell, Casad

Fourth Row—Chastain, Cloud, Criswell, Crowne, Curphey, Currey, Dalby, Darrow, Davisson, Deaton

Fifth Row—Derrick, Dickey, Duncan, Eagon, Emery, Evans, Fenema, Forkner, Fryatt, Garrison

Cordell Hall is the largest men's residence on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus with a capacity of 530 students. Constructed in the years 1938-39, the residence hall was completed at an approximate cost of \$600,000 and is one of the outstanding structures of its kind in the nation. Designed to meet the needs and establish the conveniences of the college student, Cordell Hall represents a modern achievement in structural architecure.

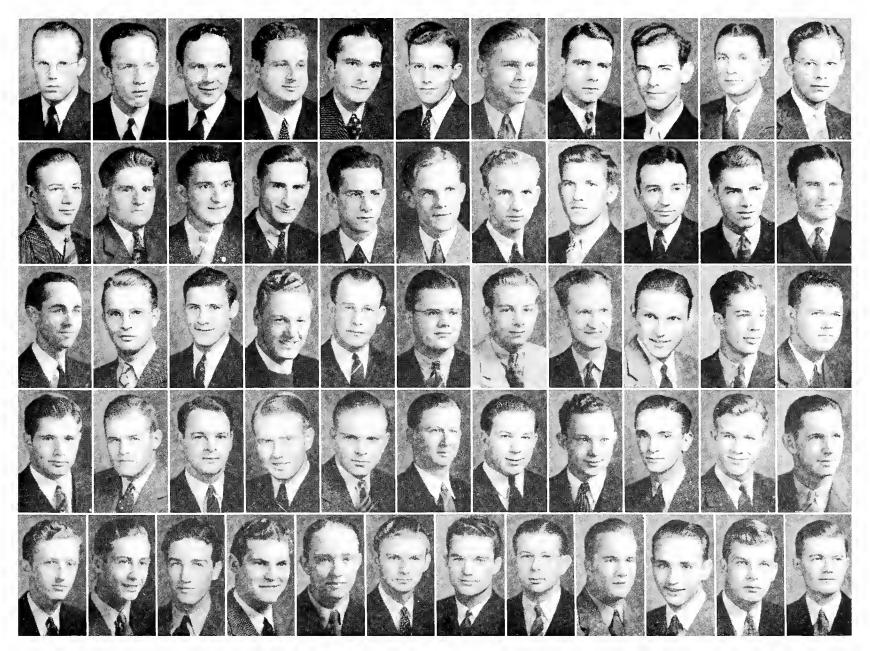
Built in a Southern Colonial design, Cordell Hall is a four story fire-proof brick structure divided into three sections connected with an arcade on the first floor. A spacious living room furnished with leather upholstered chairs and various types of hardwood furniture, a delicately furnished music room, an appropriately designed library, a rustic club room, post office, and administrative offices of the hall are found on the first floor of the center section.



Top Row, left to right—Gilbert, Glover, Gowans, Graves, Griffith, Groves, Guffen, Hall, Hancock, Martin, Harper Second Row—Henry, Henshaw, Herold, Hill, Hinkle, Hix, Holden, Hopson, Horton, Huffine, Hughes Third Row—Hughey, Hunter, Hunyager, Jones, Keibler, Kelley, Kelly, Kennedy, Kessler, Kimmel, Kimmons Fourth Row—B. King, C. King, Lackey, Lashley, Lawyer, Leonard, Lierman, Liles, Lindahl, F. Logan, V. Logan Fifth Row—Lome, Lonsinger, Looney, Luckey, Mason, Maule, Melhorn, Moran, Moscoe, McCloud, McDonald, McGee

The Cordell Hall dining room is arranged to accommodate approximately two-thirds of the residents and is operated in a cooperative relationship. Fifty-four employees are used in the dining room, and of this number employed a large percentage are students. Vivian Lippert is the dietitian in charge.

The Cordell Hall Cabinet is the principal governing body of the students in the residence hall. Marshall E. Martin served as president of the hall until his marriage when he resigned and Ross Harlan, the vice-president, finished the school year as president. Richard M. Mason served as secretary, Jay Davisson, treasurer; and the following members of the cabinet: Dee Moscoe, Don Cameron, Roy Dobbs, Donald Ryan, Arthur Naylor, William L. Block, Joe Kennedy, Roy Stafford, Jack Faubion, John Eagen, Johnny Duncan, Fred Huffine, Ralph Abercrombie, and Warren Gumm.



Top Row, left to right-McLaughlin, McLean, McMillan, McNamee, Naylor, Nelson, Nigh, Olsen, Oursler, Pate, Penn Second Row-Peratt, Perram, Pfeffer, Pool, Porta, Porter, Potter, Poulton, Renfro, Ressler, Richardson Third Row-Sallee, Savage, Scandalin, Schroeder, Shadowens, Shankle, Short, Shumate, Sippel, Skinner, Snow Fourth Row—Southall, Spainhour, Stafford, Stobaugh, Storm, Stroup, Swearingen, Talley, Thompson, Ulrich, Vaughn Fifth Row—Walsh, Warwick, Wharton, L. White, W. White, C. Williams, G. Williams, Wise, Wurtz, Yager, Young,

Social activities of the residents of Cordell Hall include their annual "Fall Formal Dance", "Christmas Social", "Spring Formal Dance", and "Spring Picnic".

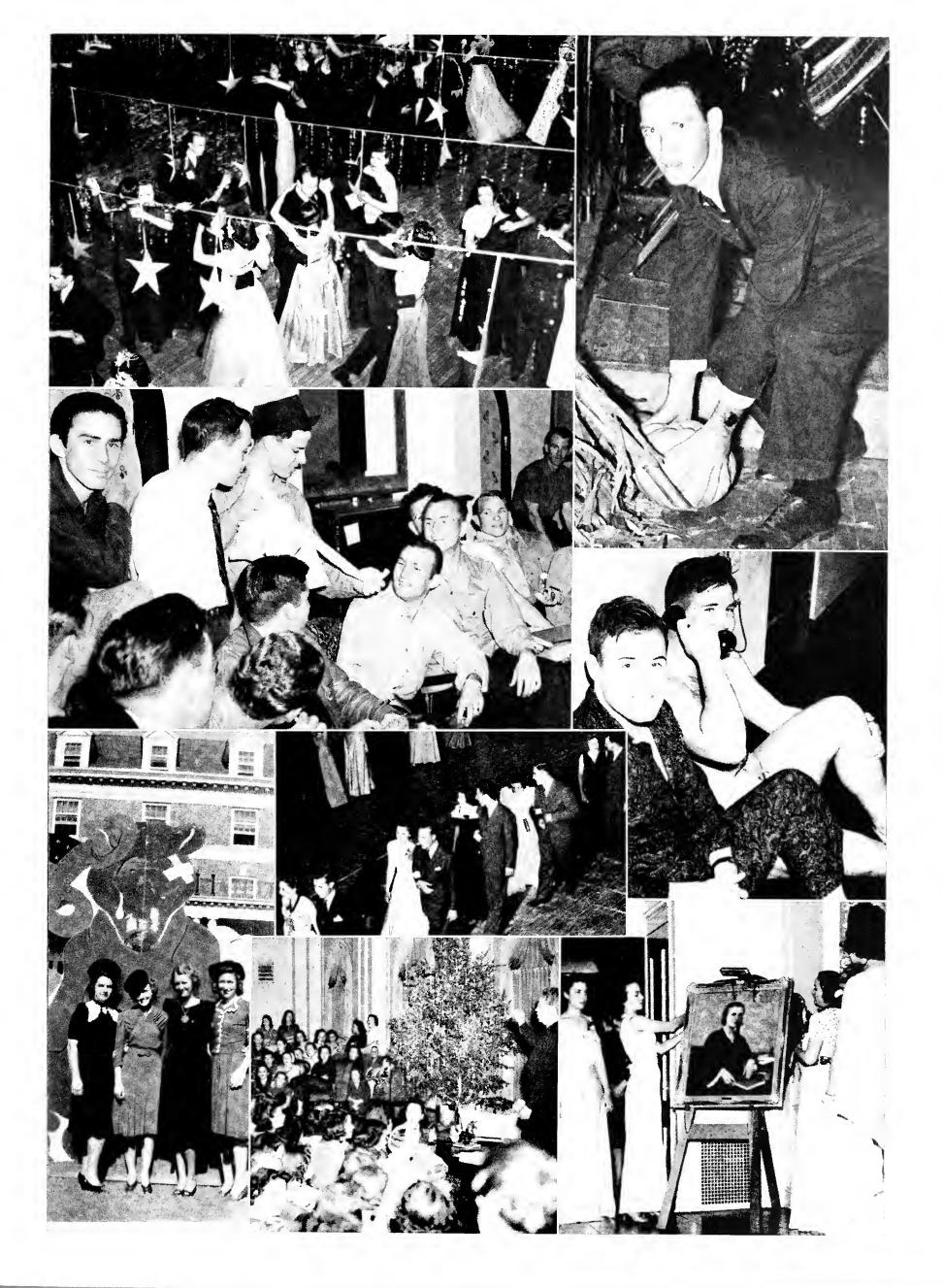
Student counselors of Cordell Hall who aid the residents in educational guidance are Frank Fuller, Jack Monroe, Brent Mayfield, J. C. Horton, Wesley Purvis, and James Morgan; whereas the proctors are Laurier de Mears, Russell Holloway, Jay Davisson, John Shelton, Todd Hughes, Victor Stroup, Levern Merrifield, Vivien Wise, Adam Sallee, and Bob Karlovich.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Campbell are the host and hostess of Cordell Hall who are in charge of the supervision of the office and residents. They are assisted by house mother Stella Stone. In their capacity they supervise the general welfare of the residents and promote harmony and efficiency in the residence hall.

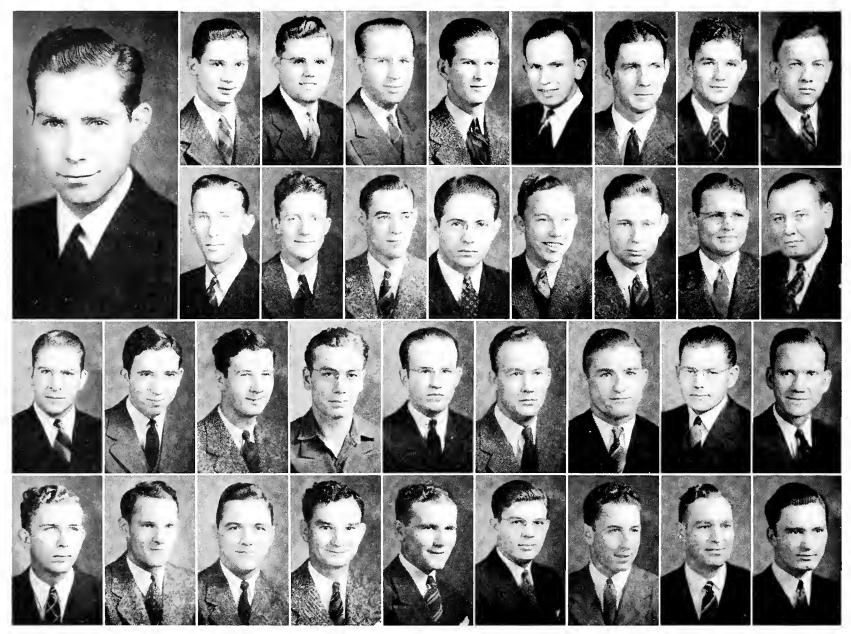


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#### HANNER HALL



Top Row, left to right—President Charies Craven, Allen, Bessire, Bowling, Burger, Carmichael, Clemens, Connally, Corlett

Second Row—Davis, Gibson, Hamill, Herndon, Kennedy, Lucas, Dale Martin, Don Martin

Third Row—Merry, Mills, Myers, McClung, McConnell, Newman, Patterson, G. Ross, N. Ross

Fourth Row—Rundels, Scheffel, Shanklin, Shrewsberry, Staggs, Utley, Wigenton, C. Winters, G. Winters

Respectfully dedicated to a former Aggie, Captain Carter C. Hanner who was killed in action during the World War, Hanner Hall was completed in 1925 as a centrally located men's residence hall on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus.

Upon the completion of Hanner Hall, Mrs. Harriet McNabb was selected as hostess, and she has served continuously in this capacity for sixteen years. Her tireless and capable efforts in the interest of Hanner Hall have added to the tradition and glory which surrounded the history of the hall. Through her suggestion a "Big Brothers" Counsel has been developed within the residence hall which is composed of upper division students who aid underclassmen to become oriented and scholastically adjusted.

Residents of Hanner Hall are actively interested in campus activities, and they engage in intramural sports programs. The one hundred and fifty residents

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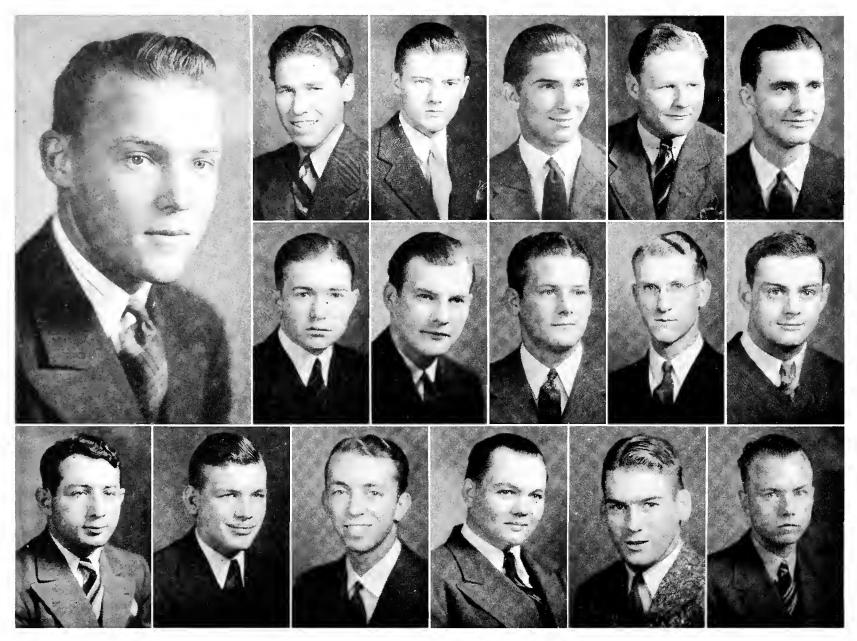
of the Hall boast an efficient organization and a fine spirit of cooperation. Heading the administration of Hanner Hall are Charles Craven, president; Arlie Bowling, vice-president; and John Holt, secretary and treasurer.

Financial aid is available principally to underclassmen in the form of a loan fund which was placed under the supervision of Mother McNabb by Mrs. Florence Avery of Tulsa.

Hanner Hall entertains its residents annually with a variety of social events among which are a fall picnic, a spring picnic, a fall dance, and a breakfast each spring honoring residents who will graduate.

Conveniently placed on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus, Hanner Hall represents a progressive residence for men enrolled in collegiate courses and provides the Aggie atmosphere of hospitality.

# THATCHER HALL



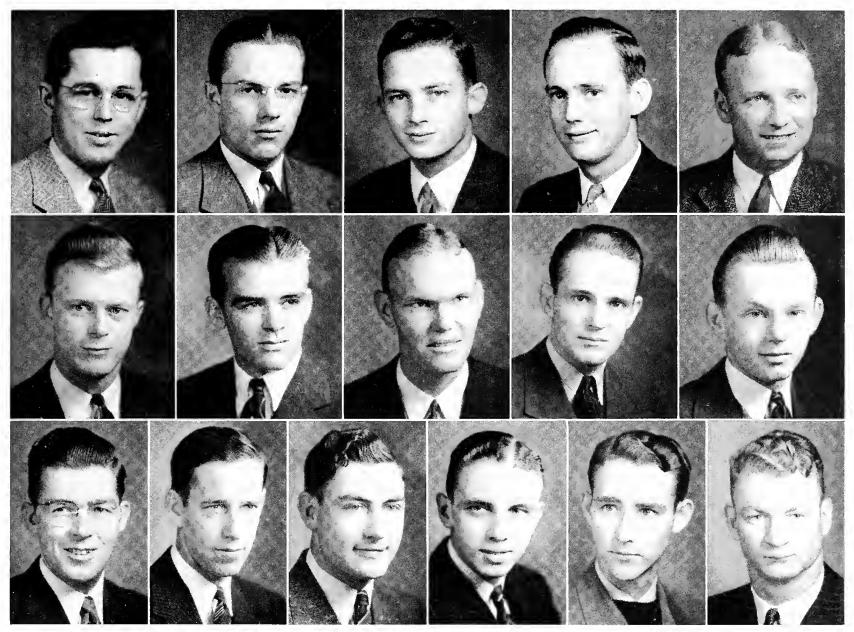
Top Row, left to right—President Clark Porter, Baker, Blackwood, Brant, Cain, Clovis Second Row—Coggins, Custer, Davis, Gibson, Gigor Third Row—Dritch, Groff, B. Hardin, Hill, Holderman, Jensen

Jessie Thatcher Hall, men's residence hall, was erected in 1925 and dedicated to Jessie Thatcher Bost, the first woman to be graduated from Oklahoma A. and M. College.

Upon the opening of Thatcher Hall as a men's dormitory, Mrs. Myrtle Jacobs was selected by the college administration to be hostess. To this newly organized group of men, many of whom were unfamiliar with dormitory life, Mother Jacobs truly became a mother. Her pleasing personality, her personal interest in the student's welfare, and her deep loyalty to the activities of the dormitory did much in making a home-like atmosphere for the Hall.

The social events of the year are the annual Holiday dance, held prior to the

# THATCHER HALL



Top Row, left to right—Masiula, Merish, Miller, Morrow, Munday Second Row—McCormick, Powers, Schwartefeger, Swint, Whitney Third Row—Wilkin, C. Williams, R. Williams, Wilson, Wollard, Younger

Christmas holidays, and two picnics, one in the fall and one in the spring. Another dance is given in the spring.

During the spring of each year Thatcher Hall enters the intramural sports program. They have shown up well in the past years in softball. There are many members of the hall who are active in college athletics and politics.

Clark Porter, president of the Hall, with the able assistance of David Robertson, vice-president, and Frank Burgess, secretary-treasurer, has capably directed the activities of the dormitory for the past year.

One of the oldest of the men's residence halls, Thatcher has rapidly come to the front in establishing traditions and records of which they are proud.

# HOSTESSES



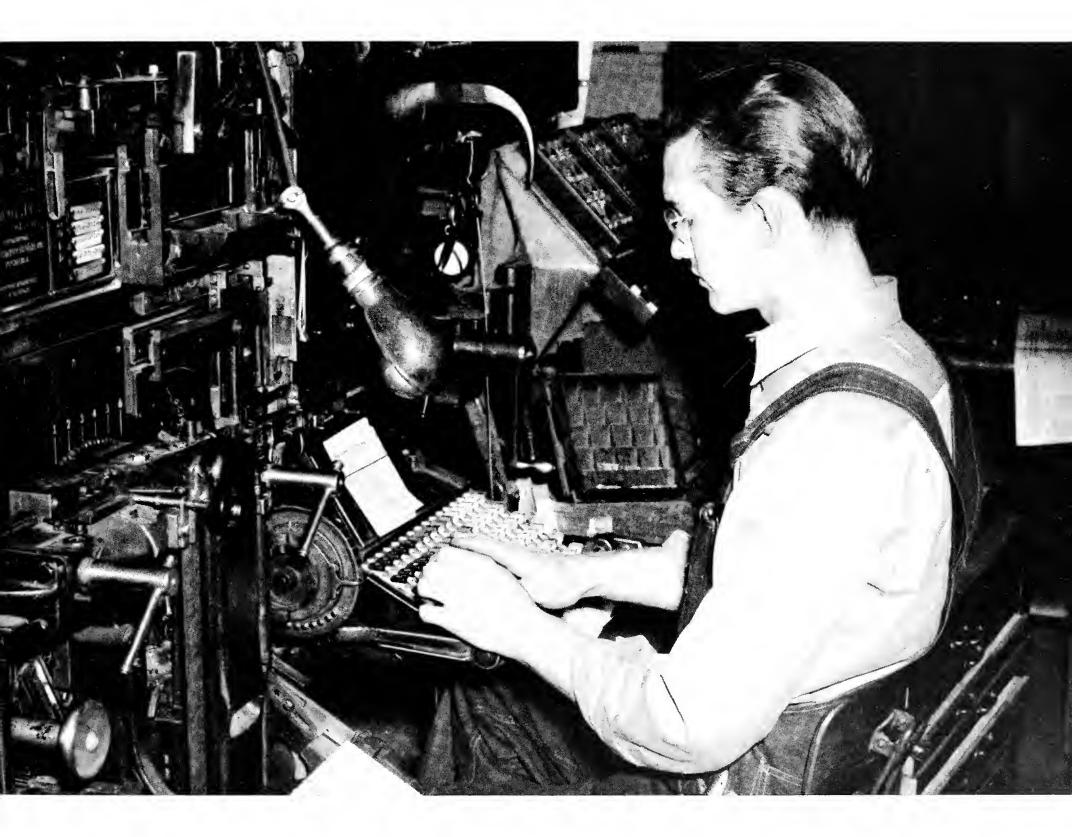
Top Row, left to right—Mrs. Harry Austin, Alpha Gamma Rho; Mrs. R. H. Beale, Kappa Sigma; Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Cordell Hall; Mrs. Lela Fleming, Kappa Delta; Miss Rena Fowle, Pi Beta Phi; Mrs. Nellie B. Griffith, Kappa Alpha Theta

Second Row—Mrs. Hazel Hollingsworth, Sigma Chi; Mrs. Laura A. Hopkins, Farmhouse; Mrs. Myrtle Jacobs, Thatcher Hall; Mrs. Harriett Johnson, Murray, North Hall; Mrs. Maude Laizeaux, Chi Omega; Mrs. Maude Latimer, Murray Hall

Third Row—Mrs. Purdie Leibrand, Acacia; Mrs. D. B. Maher, Pi Kappa Alpha; Mrs. Kate Massey, Willard Hall; Mrs. Julia Marshall, Lambda Chi Alpha; Mrs. Myrtle Meyers, Alpha Delta Pi; Mrs. J. B. McKinley, Sigma Phi Epsilon

Fourth Row—Mrs. Harriet McNabb, Hanner Hall; Mrs. Fredrick Nelson, Sigma Nu; Mrs. Lolla Preston, Kappa Alpha; Mrs. Harry Swope, Beta Theta Pi; Mrs. J. Wythe Walker, Theta Kappa Phi; Mrs. Clare Williams, Zeta Tau Alpha; Mrs. Katherine Woods, Sigma Alpha Epsilon

# PUBLICATIONS





C. E. TROUT

Governing body of all student publications of Oklahoma A. and M. College is the board of publications which serves as a supervisory organization. The form of the board has been changed over a period of years, but essentially it remains under student control with faculty representation to add balance.

Established by amendment to the student constitution in 1937 which provided that the organization be separate from regulations that formerly provided that functions be directed by the administration of the college, the board of publications accepts as its responsibility the sections of the student constitution which state: "It shall be the duty of the board of publications to supervise all student publications and to make decisions regarding the advisability of establishing or discontinuing any student publications."

# BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS . . .

Supervision of the board extends to three student publications: the REDSKIN, annual yearbook; the Daily O'Collegian, student daily newspaper; and the Aggievator, student monthly humor magazine. In addition the board approves the operation of special and group publications which are published by students. The Oklahoma State Engineer, the Commerce Journal, and publications of the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. fall into this category.

Three separate boards with overlapping memberships manage and control the activities of the three major student publications. Each board is composed of eight members, with six of these members serving on the two other boards. The six overlapping board members are Clement E. Trout, head of the college publications department; Clarence E. McElroy, dean of men; George White, associate professor in the English department; and Dr. J. I. Kieth of the Foods Engineering department. The remaining two members of each board are the editor and business manager of the particular publication supervised by the board. Raymond E. Bivert is general manager of student publications.





The two student representatives on the board of publications are elected at the general student election on alternate years to serve a two-year term. Lois Falkenburg and Pauline Mills are the present members on the board.

All editors and business managers of student publications must meet the general requirements of all student representatives and possess in addition the technical qualifications necessary to operate a specialized publication.

Serving as publication officers during the year 1940-41 were F. L. Holton and Ed. Cleveland, editor and business manager of the REDSKIN; Truman Mikles, Joe Mayfield, and Bob Morford, editors and business manager of the *Daily O'Collegian*; and Dan Lawrence, who was editor of the *Aggievator*. Publication officers recommend staff officers to the board of publications which either approves or rejects the individual appointments.

Progressing constantly each year, the student publications of Oklahoma A. and M. College have pioneered in the rendition of student services and advanced their standing until today they are recognized as comparable to other collegiate publications. In preceding years, revenues for the student publications have been reduced to approximately one-half of the former level, but regardless of the financial situation they have progressed functionally. Necessary economy has handicapped the publications in securing large working staffs—few students being able to devote sufficient time to the type of non-paying position found on publication staffs. Frequently the positions of editor and business manager have been difficult to fill with eligible individuals who were able to work as the result of many interested students being unable to qualify.

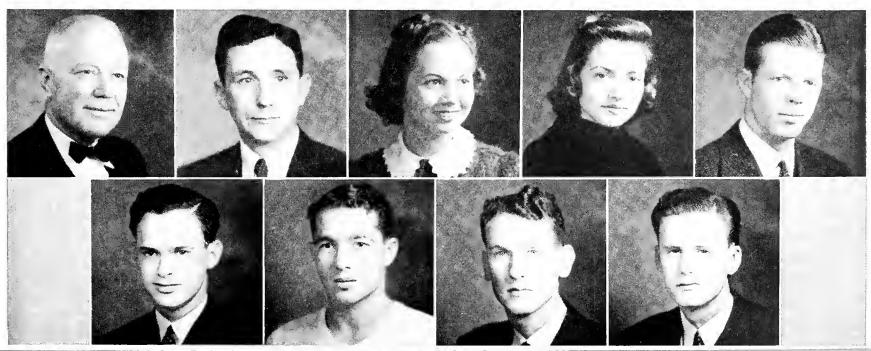
A large staff with opportunity for advancement on merit and qualifications is the ideal for the internal organization of a student publication. The board of publications follows a plan of encouraging the attainment of high scholastic standards to publications workers and partially insuring all who are willing to serve an apprenticeship and render service a broad field of opportunity for advancement.

#### ... governs Student Publications

Major responsibility of the board of publications is the operation of the O'Collegian printing plant which is a non-profit corporation regularly organized and chartered under the laws of the State of Oklahoma, with the entire student body as stockholders. The O'Collegian publishing company as a corporation is under a board of directors which delegates the operation of the plant to the board of publications. The majority of the work is done by students who are furnished employment that they may meet their college expenses.

Student publications of Oklahoma A. and M. College represent an important factor in the establishment of relations with the people of the state. Controlled and managed largely by the board of publications, they express the spirit of the college and formulate public opinion concerning the institution. The board desires to present a fair representation of all student interests and activities on the campus and provide the most satisfactory publications possible with reference to the financial support offered. Steady progress with increased service to the students and the citizens of Oklahoma is the aim of the board of publications.

Top Row, left to right—McElroy, White, Mills, Falkenburg, Cleveland Second Row—Holton, Mikles, Morford, Lawrence



TIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGI



F. L. HOLTON

The 1941 REDSKIN was dedicated to the Golden Anniversary of Oklahoma A. and M. College. The theme of this year's book was to glorify the institution as it stands today rather than to present a history of its beginning and growth.

Editing a yearbook requires coöperation with the printers and engravers, and it also requires the close harmony of nearly a score of fellow students. Over \$15,000 was required to complete this book; credit should be stressed to the able assistance and the close coöperation that the editorial office received from the business manager, Ed Cleveland, and his assistants: Tom Carson, Jim Logan, and J. H. Rice.

As soon as enrollment was completed in September, students started having their pictures made at Zellweger's Studio. Much of the work of organizing the filing system and the task

#### THE REDSKIN...

of completing the class section was done by Irad McElhoes. Irad very capably served as Managing Editor until he withdrew from school at the end of the first nine weeks, and we are deeply indebted to him for his aid.

Barbara Smith was elected REDSKIN Popularity Queen at the REDSKIN dance held to raise funds to help finance the beauty section of this year's book. It was also during November that Bob Harrison started haunting the fraternity and sorority houses and, with the help of Francis Gilstrap, they were among the first to have their section of the book completed.

After the Christmas vacation, staff changes were made with Lois Drybread resigning to the bonds of matrimony. She was replaced by Mary Litson and Dee Moscoe who did all of the stenographical work during the year.

The staff started that difficult task of securing copy from the various organizations. A blitzkrieg was declared, and a panzer division headed by Dale Hardesty made lightning advances to enable us to go to press on time. We are highly indebted to diligent workers such as John Holcome, Bill White, E. J. Slayman,

Don Boydston, and Douglas Benbrook for their work on this part of the book.

Besides most of the feature pictures, all of the views and the color pictures were made by Leon Wollard. Ray Crowley and other camera fans contributed many snapshots that appear in the feature sections. Betty Joe Kerby again did her usual excellent and dependable work on the history portion in the feature section.

Mr. E. K. Burns and Mr. R. C. Walker of the Southwestern Engraving Company have been an invaluable aid to the staff in offering ideas and suggestions. In fact without such expert advice from these men and from Mr. W. W. Mercer of the Economy Advertising Company, the REDSKIN could never measure up to the yearbook standard that it now does. Whenever the staff needed technical advice they could always turn to Raymond E. Bivert and his assistant, Wally Wallace, for help.

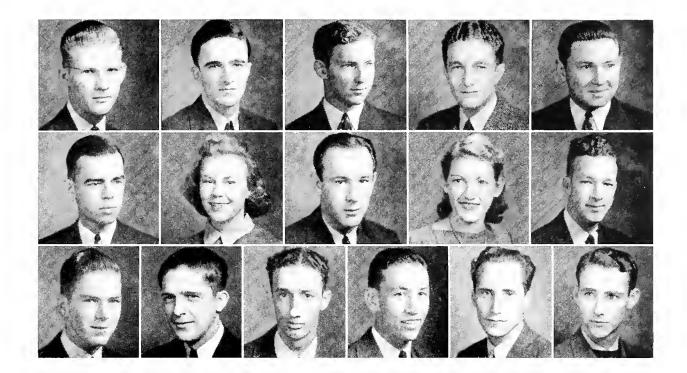


ED CLEVELAND

Top Row, left to right—Hardesty, McElhoes, Holcombe, Rice, Logan

Second Row—Carson, Drybread, White, Gilstrap, Moscoe

Third Row—Harrison, Slayman, Boydston, Benbrook, Crowley, Wollard

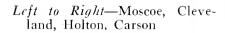


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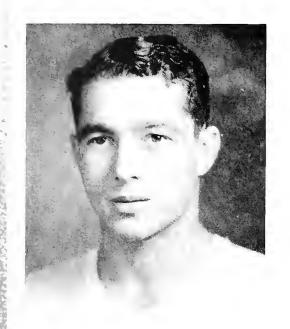
It was only after intensified efforts by the business staff that additional book sales secured enough funds to allow us to use natural color photographs in the opening section of our book. These photographs, engraved plates and printing processes represent the latest technical advancements. It is the desire of the editor that the unusual color schemes, designs, and photographs will blend into a book deserving of being published by the Student Association of Oklahoma A. and M. College.

#### 1941 REDSKIN STAFF

F. H. HOLTON Editor
ED CLEVELAND Business Manager
IRAD McElhoes Managing Editor
Dale Hardesty Associate Editor
JOHN HOLCOMBE Associate Editor
BILL WHITE Military Editor
Douglas Benbrook Administration Editoor
Bob Harrison Fraternity Editor
Francis Gilstrap Sorority Editor
E. J. Slayman Beauty Editor
Don Boydston Sports Editor
LEON WOLLARD Feature Editor
Lois Drybread Secretary
Tom Carson Assistant Business Manager
Jim Logan Assistant Business Manager
J. H. RICE Circulation Manager







TRUMAN MIKLES

Meeting the news need of 6,500 students is no easy task, and the *Daily O'Collegian* student newspaper staff were pushed at times to keep a steady flow of fresh campus copy in the paper that would clearly picture all of the activities of an alert student body.

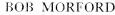
If there was any one single thing the Daily O'Collegian strived for throughout the year, it was to be of definite service to the students of this institution. Often this was an impossible task, often student enterprises were underplayed, but taking the year 1940-41 as a whole the O'Collegian put the full force of its columns behind every worthy student enterprise, and at the same time did an excellent job meeting nearly all of the student news needs throughout a busy year.

# THE DAILY O'COLLEGIAN . . .

During the first semester the O'Collegian had as skipper Truman Mikles, a senior in the school of commerce. His staff was composed of Joe Mayfield, junior in arts and sciences, managing editor; E. J. Slayman, sophomore in arts and sciences, night editor; Teddy Price, junior in arts and sciences, women's editor; Julia Bess Clark, junior in arts and sciences, society editor; and Jim Scott, junior in arts and sciences, feature writer.

Second semester the Board of Publications appointed Joe Mayfield editor. His staff consisted of E. J. Slayman, managing editor; Jim Scott, night editor; Teddy Price, women's editor; Julia Bess Clark, society editor; Betty Joe Kerby, junior in arts and sciences, rewrite editor, and Donald Cox, telegraph editor.

Orville Palmer and Don Boydston, both juniors in arts and sciences, served both semesters as co-sports editors. The rest of the staff consisted of Alden Angerer, Don Looper, Bob McKinsey, Helen McManus, Sammy Love, George Krumme, Richard Farris, Tom Steph, Bill Platt, Charles Waken and Garland Jones.





Accomplishments of the O'Collegian for the year include special editions opening every home sport schedule and a 10 page Christmas issue. For the basketball special on the night that the Aggies met Southern California's Trojans, a duo-color tabloid was presented the subscribers. The Christmas issue was decked with a duo-colored job and the O'Collegian sponsored and put over the first Christmas student convocation in the history of the school. This marked what is hoped will be an A. and M. student tradition.

Two "special" trains, one to Norman for the Aggie-Sooner traditional grid fued and the other to Oklahoma City for the Aggie-Texas Tech opening game for the state college grid season, were "pushed" by the O'Collegian. Numerous student promotions and awards were published and played up in the O'Collegian as part of the paper's editorial policy to make A. and M. the center of the universe.

Front Row—Boydston, Mikles, Clark, Slayman, Price Second Row—Love, Hawkins, Lindsay, Palmer, Schriener, Kerby, Robbins, Shankel, Roger Back Row—McManus, Cox, McKinsey, Scott, Platt



#### ... the Voice of A. & M.

Naturally during the school year the O'Collegian had its scoops, its troubles, its headaches, mistakes and break downs that seem to go hand in glove with the job of printing a college newspaper.

The scandal column was cut out of the paper at the start of the second semester and the students rose up in wrath, some cancelled their subscriptions, others sent scathing letters to the editor. Result; the column was re-instated. Then one night the Aggie wrestling team defeated Michigan State, but the O'Collegian the following morning carried not a pica about the event. The print shop foreman had used his editorial judgment and left the story out, intending to carry it "the next issue."

All in all the Daily O'Collegian during the year gave the students the best student paper in up-and-down history of the enterprise. Time will probably erase most of the year's errors, the low-grade point averages made by the struggling staff, and the triumphs the paper enjoyed. Probably when the last paper is put to bed this year and the staff is broken up there will be many remarks, "Well we've done a good job. We've put our best into the paper, it's all been lots of fun."

Slayman, the column man . . . Scott night editing . . . The second semester editor, Joe Mayfield.





DAN LAWRENCE

Working under a carefully outlined plan of reconstruction, the Oklahoma Aggievator regained the prestige of former years during the scholastic year of 1940-41. In rather a precarious position at the opening of the school year both financially and in the eyes of the student body; a policy of progress was outlined to again secure the rightful place it once held, that of a widely circulated and financially stable college comic.

Factors contributing to the success of the magazine during the past year were: A revision of the local advertising set up and its successful solution; a regularity of publication with an increased campus circulation and the second Annual Aggievator Carnival which proved to be one of the most outstanding social events of the campus.

Under the leadership of Dan Lawrence, Editor and Business Manager, and the guidance of the ever helpful Press Club

# THE AGGIEVATOR . . .

the Aggievator featured two if its seven issues to campus personalities, Miss Martha Hadden, Chi Omega having the Freshman Queen issue dedicated to her; and the last issue of the Aggievator, the May Razz, put the various campus personalities on the gridiron by conducting a secret poll of campus opinion.

Outstanding among the staff members were: Don Boydston, production editor, who was responsible for much of the satirical writing featured in the Aggievator each month; Bill Austin, who wrote the scandal column, was indispensable; and Jane Schneider, exchange editor. Julian Dedman and Camelia Berry furnished the artistic works. Carmelita Smith was editorial assistant. The photography work was handled very capably by Leigh McCaslin, Leon Wollard and Dutton Biggs. Howard Everest was the circulation manager.

The Aggievator depicts the life of the students from day to day. Its chief aim is to offer a form of amusement in the way of reading material to the students of A. and M.



Left to Right—Boydston, Grattan, Dedman, Austin, Everest, McCaslin, Harrison, Palmer, Lawrence, Price

To Press Club, men's honorary journalism fraternity, goes honors of the year for accomplishing more toward betterment of Oklahoma A. and M. College than many other organizations with membership rolls of double and triple number.

Only 13 men were active in Press Club during the year, two members less than the constitution quota allowed. Most of these members were high in the ranks of Aggie publications. Headed by Joe Mayfield, other club officers were E. J. Slayman, vice-president, and Jack Horner, secretary-treasurer. Members were: Bob Morford, Dan Lawrence, F. L. Holton, Walter Slack, Ed Cleveland, Lloyd Hawkins, Orville Palmer, Don Boydston, Tom Carson and Charles King. The Press Club was founded as a service organization, and this group has served as a nucleus for promoting activities for the betterment of Oklahoma A. and M. College.



JOE MAYFIELD

# ... COLLEGE PRESS CLUB

Early in the fall, Press Club instigated and actively sponsored a special train to the Aggie-O. U. football game at Norman. After the Tulsa-Aggie football game at Tulsa, club members sponsored a victory dance at a Tulsa night spot in opposition to a T. U.-sponsored affair. At Christmas-time, Press Club was listed as outstanding financial contributor to Panhellenic's annual basket fund. Complete support was given the annual Aggievator carnival; funds for part-payment on Homecoming trophies were given Student Senate; time, money or both was spent on all journalism meetings on the campus; and a Homecoming breakfast was given returning publications workers. In spare time, members also sponsored three campus dances, two of them in Fiscus Hall and one in the gymnasium.

Throughout the year, club members concentrated their efforts toward the ultimate goal of petitioning Sigma Delta Chi, National honorary journalism fraternity. Working pressmen from over Oklahoma were brought to the campus, club activities and procedure were carried along a parallel plane with that of the national organization.

Top Row, left to right—Boydston, Carson, Cleveland, Hawkins, Holton, Horner, King

Bottom Row—Lawrence, Mikles,
Morford, Omohundro, Slack,
Slayman



JANE SCHNEIDER

Fourth Estate Club, women's journalism organization, was founded on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus in November of 1937 by a group of co-eds actively engaged in campus publication work and interested in journalism as a profession.

Membership is based on journalistic activities and scholarship. Eligible are those sophomore, junior and senior women students majoring or minoring in journalism or working on student publications.

Having as its purpose the advancement of women in journalism, the club's program included a fall reception for all co-ed journalism students, outstanding state women journalists as speakers at meetings, and cooperation with and promotion of the student publications, the journalism department, and the college. An outstanding speaker of the year was Miss Edith Johnson, columnist for the *Daily Oklahoman*, for whom a luncheon was held in the fall.

## FOURTH ESTATE...

Fourth Estate members express interest in their choice of profession not only by journalism class work but also by actual accomplishments in journalism. Outstanding work by members during the past year includes that of Jane Schneider, president of the organization, who is correspondent for the Daily Oklahoman and is active in student publications; Teddy Price, woman's editor of the O'Collegian; Betty Jo Kerby, O'Collegian rewrite editor; Eleanor Ninman, Stillwater feature writer, and Madeline McLain, O'Collegian advertising salesman.

The membership in 1940-41 includes Jane Schneider, president; Eleanor Young, vice-president; Betty Joe Kerby, secretary; Martha Pat Evans, treasurer; Norma Gleason, historian; Lou Ann Claypool, Teddy Price, Edna Mae Hough, Eleanor Ninman, Pauline Mills, Madeline McLain, Fern Petree, Mary Kay Abbott, Annagene Lindsay, Lois Lee McClain, Melba Hamill, Rachel Adams, and Jane Stander.

Helen Freudenberger, instructor in the journalism department, is sponsor of the organization; with Mrs. George Church an honorary member of the club.



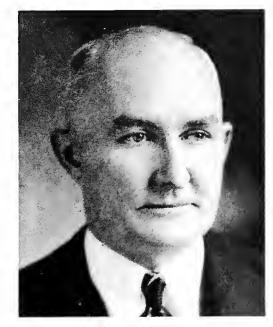
Front Row, left to right—D. Claypool, Hough, McClain, Price, Abbott, Stander

Second Row—Gleason, Freudenberger, Schneider, Ninman, Adams

Top Row—Hamill, Kerby, Lindsay, Evans, L. Claypool

The Oklahoma A. and M. College Magazine, official publication of the Former Students Association, first appeared in September, 1929. For the past twelve years the magazine has been printed nine times per year, recording outstanding events and developments at the college and giving current news about alumni and former students. Reports and information about Association activities have been printed.

Alumni and former students are enabled to keep pace with their Alma Mater, college associates, and classmates through the medium of the Magazine. It serves as an indispensable means of contact between the college and its graduates and provides a valuable record of institutional progress. It furnishes the most effective and practical method of disseminating personal news.



A. O. MARTIN

# ...A. & M. MAGAZINE

Seniors upon graduation, whose addresses are kept up to date in the Former Students office, receive the magazine for one year following graduation. Among features of special interest to graduating classes each year is the class write-up published in the November and December issues. This gives the whereabouts of individual members of the class and tells what they are doing. Other departments read with interest by younger graduates are the Marriage and Birth announcement column. Much favorable attention has also been attracted by the panel of pictures of young sons and daughters of A. and M. Alumni. The sports summary each month helps alumni keep up in the field of athletics. In all, an effort is made to make the Magazine read like a letter from home to alumni, covering such phases of alumni and college activities as will be of interest to those who have attended A. and M. Like the proverbial indispensable possession to one's happiness and peace of mind, no graduate of A. and M. should be without the A. and M. College Magazine.





LEIGH McCASLIN

The Oklahoma State Engineer is the official publication of the school of engineering of Oklahoma A. and M. It is published quarterly in the months of October, December, March, and May by a student staff under the supervision of a faculty board. The first issue of the magazine was published in December, 1935, and was a pioneer in Oklahoma in its field. Until March, 1941, it was the only college engineering publication in the state.

The magazine is financed by its share of the fifty cent engineering activities fee and by income from advertising sources. The engineering activities fee was adopted in March, 1940, primarily to insure proper financing of the magazine.

In October, 1939, the *Oklahoma State Engineer* was adopted by the Oklahoma chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers as their official publication. This step added much to its national prestige and also was profitable financially.

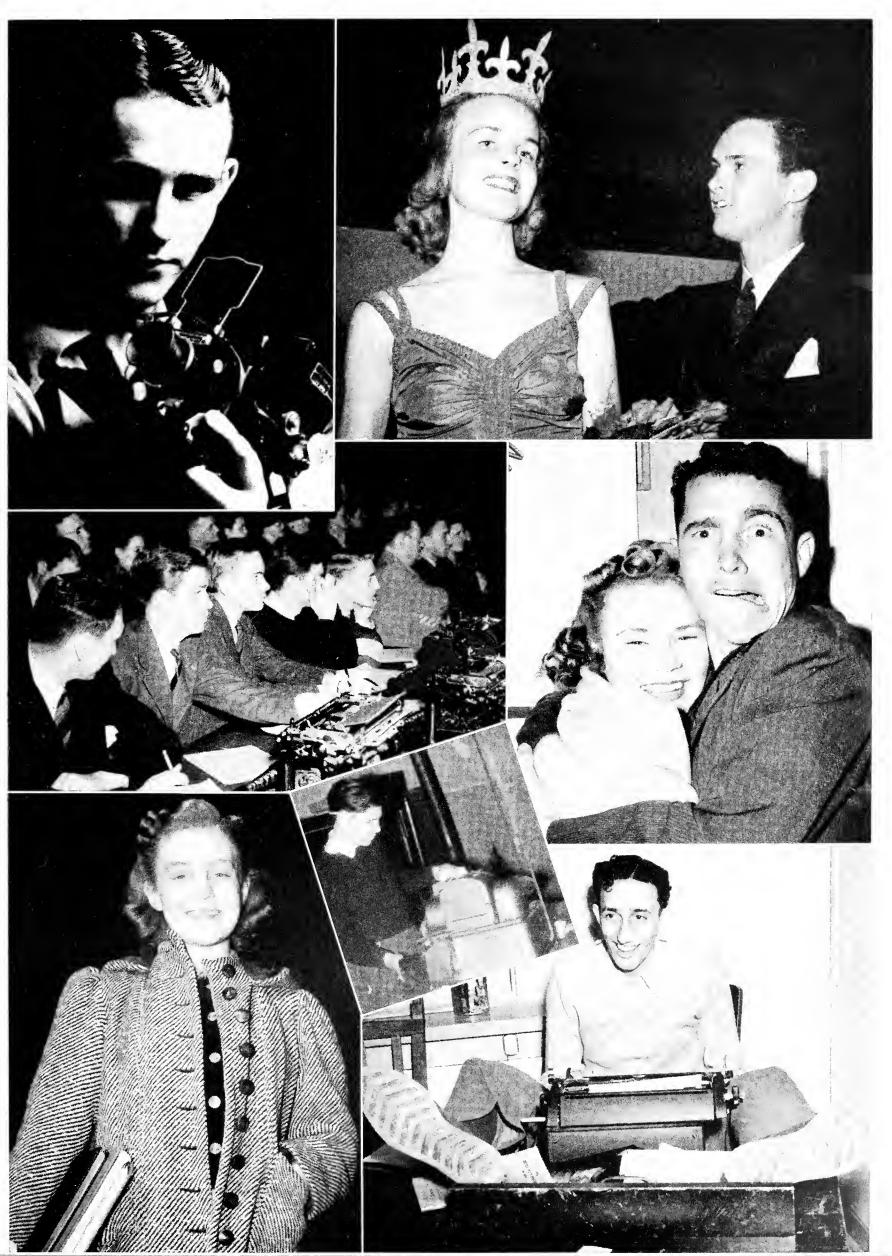
### OKLAHOMA STATE ENGINEER . . .

In the first semester of this school year, the magazine joined 24 other college engineering magazines in membership in the Engineering College Magazines Associated thus marking one of the biggest forward steps in its history. In addition to better advertising possibilities, membership in the organization has improved the magazine editorially.

The circulation this past year was 2500, including all of the students in the school of engineering and 1000 registered professional engineers in the state of Oklahoma. The staff is headed by Leigh McCaslin, editor; Wallace McNamee, business manager; Bob Blaicher, circulation manager; Bill Simank, assistant business manager; and John Sullivan, associate editor. The faculty advisory board consists of Dean George W. Whiteside, chairman; Professor H. G. Thuesen, and Professor R. E. Stapley.



Top Row, left to right—Stamets, Mitchell, Sullivan, Villarreal, Miller, Simank, Blaicher, Bennett, Bruggeman Bottom Row—McCaslin, Feil, Thompson, McNamee



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# ORGANIZATIONS



# WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB...



Front Row, left to right—Fenimore, Barnes, Hagers, Brown, Jensen, Mason Dunkleberger, Doggett, Rook, Six, Selph, Cupp

Second Row—Rutledge, Benbrook, Woolpert, Phillips, Spahn, Stewart, Beatty, Kerby, Moore, Bateman

Third Row—Evans, Holderead, Petros, Curtis, Johnson, House, Benson, Smith, Wharton, Moore, Paulding, Lockridge

The Women's Glee Club is a rather small group of carefully selected women's voices, and is directed by Gladys Dunkelberger of the music department faculty.

During the school year of 1940-41 two concert appearances were made by the group, members of which are chosen for blending as well as good musical knowledge and tone qualities. They are considered to be an unusually fine group for the delicate, yet forceful music usually written for women's choruses.

Much success of the group should be accredited to the director, Glady Dunkelberger, who with the finest of training herself can teach the girls the finer points of singing. She trained the voices into splendid form for the winter concert which featured out-of-town soloists and the college students.

With Spring and the nearing of the end of school came the other campus concert appearance, when the girls gave another brilliant performance. Although the club was nearly 10 voices smaller than during the first semester, much heavier and far more difficult concert numbers were given. Members of the glee club took all the solo parts in this second concert.

Accompaniment for both the winter and the spring appearances of the group was by Betty Clee Doggett.

Members of the girls' quartette selected from the glee club role were Mary Cupp, Bobbie Selph, Phyllis Barnes, and Norma Jean Jensen.

Officers for the year included Camille House, president; Bobbie Selph, secretary; Genevieve Benbrook, treasurer; and Betty Joe Kerby, business manager.

# ... SYMPHONIC BAND



The history of the Oklahoma A. and M. College Symphonic Band is really the life history of Dr. Boh Makovsky since 1915, at which time he was asked to become the Director of the Band and Head of the Music Department. The founding of the band on the campus really began about 1905. Three or four men including Clark C. Porter led the band during the ten years before Boh's time at A. and M. After the initial struggle for advancement and the improvement of the High School Bands of Oklahoma, three bands evolved on the campus: the Symphonic Band, the Military Band, and the College Band. Boh is director of the Symphonic Band, Max Mitchell is director of the Military Band, and Clem Hutchinson is director of the College Band. These latter two men aid Boh in the Symphonic Band as assistants.

Boh has always set an example for the part of the nation in the use of balanced instrumentation, which for the year 1940-41 included: Six flutes, three oboes, English horn, heckelphone, twenty-eight clarinets, two alto clarinets, three bass clarinets, contra-bass clarinet, three alto saxophones, sarrousaphone, three bassoons, contrabassoon, ten French horns, eight cornets, four trumpets, two flugelhorns, five baritones, eight trombones, five BBb bases, three E flat basses, two string basses, and five percussion.

This year the Band played for seven of the ten football games including those played in Norman, Oklahoma City, and Tulsa, and also played for two winter athletic events. The Pep Band, an auxiliary of the Symphonic Band, was directed by Joe Colvin this year and played for pep meetings, most winter sports, and the rodeos. The Symphonic Band presented five concerts during the year, all of which were on the Student Lyceum Series. The last of this series was directed by the Senior Music Majors.

# JIMMY BAKER'S COLLEGIANS . . .



Left to Right—Jim Dailey, Warren Brown, Byron Gray, Albert Webb, Buddy Gilchrest, Kenneth McCollum, Jimmie Baker, Margaret Muse, Johnny Anderson, Bugs Berryman, Bobby Heath, Jitter Boroughs, Wendy Monroe, Charles Perkins

Directed and managed by Jimmie Baker, the Collegians, newest dance band organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus, proved that the first years aren't always the hardest as they came through the 1940-41 school term a very strong and popular group.

Outstanding individual contributions to the campus include featured vocalist, Margaret Muse, who was already state-wide popular; "Bugs" Berryman, flashy and talented drummer; and Baker himself, who has carried many of the vocals and personally marched into the limelight of Aggie society and popularity.

Besides being the largest dance band ever formed on the campus, they have probably contributed more to the enjoyment of Stillwater college students than any other similar group. They have played many of the fraternity formals, willingly played for the walk-out dance, and have slipped into the hearts of music-loving boys and girls with their arrangements, all patterned around a "sweet swing" style.

Many original tunes have come from the ranks of membership in the organization including pianist Jitter Boroughs' "Mongolian Blues" and the theme song "Cajuna" brought out by "Bugs" Berryman.

The band has also had their sustaining commercial radio program from Miles Student store each Sunday during the second semester over KTUL. Appearing in the Silver Glade Room at the Skirvin Tower Hotel, Blossom Heath, and other noted spots throughout the state, the group has become well known and will play next summer at a resort.

Members of the band that joined the second semester are: Joe Mowder, tenor sax; Ralph Doughty, first trumpet and tenor sax; and Howard Johnston, guitar player and arranger.

## ... VARSITONIANS



Front Row, left to right—Mullins, Price, Kassel, Cole, Knox, Hill, Peeck Back Row—Reed, Poole, Hamilton, Floyd, James

Since 1933, when they first originated on the campus, the Varsitonians have endeavored to bring to the students of A. and M. the type of music every college student enjoys.

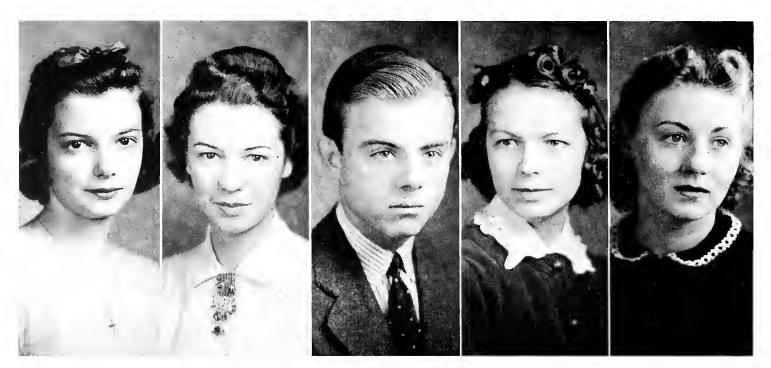
The organization of the band is made up of four saxophones in the reed section, three trumpets and a trombone in the brass section, and a rhythm section consisting of a piano, drums and guitar. The band is founded on the coöperative system by which each member exercises an equal authority, and is entitled to vote on any question which may come up.

The library of arrangements has been steadily increasing since last year until they now have a comparatively complete selection of over two hundred tunes from which the students may request their favorite dance selections. Several of the boys in the band contribute their arranging talents toward maintaining this library and keeping abreast of the current hit tunes. In this library are included several original compositions such as "Oasis Blues," the theme song "It's You" by Max Hamilton, and "What Happened" written by Rev Mullins. The vocals are also performed by the capable voices of Rev and Max.

At the present, there are two officers within the band. The business manager, Hal Price, serves as director and booking agent, while the treasurer, James Reid, keeps the books and does the "paying off."

The Varsitonians wish to express their sincere appreciation for all the cooperation and good will shown them by the student body during the past year, and they give their assurance that when school opens next fall, you can depend on the Varsitonians to be here striving to play your favorite type of dance music.

#### TERPSICHOREAN CLUB...



Left to Right-Hamm, Mann, Rollins, Ross, Thatcher

The Terpsichorean Club was founded in 1927 by Flora Mae Ellis, Head of the Women's Physical Education Department, for the purpose of furthering interest in dancing as a creative art and of producing at least one dance program each year. It was the thought by the founders that these ends could be better realized by forming a club of those especially interested rather than to leave such productions in charge of the dance instructors.

The organization which is sponsored by Margaret Manor, dance instructor, is for both men and women interested in dancing as a creative art. Apprentices of the club are chosen with care. In order to be considered for pledgeship, persons desirous of joining the club must present a dance composition before the officers. These people must take an active part in the work for a designated length of time, and if worthy, may become members.

This year the club sponsored Mildred Wheeler in the American Royal Contest. The annual spring program features Jane Thatcher, talented ballet dancer who is from Stillwater; and Jimmie Rollins, accomplished tap dancer, who is from Ardmore. The annual dance programs are varied, being composed of various types of dancing.

Members are: Vivian Doty, Virgie Duck, Wanda Ford, Marilynn Hamm, Mary Ellen Heilman, Vivienne Kolachny, Jacky Longacre, Betty Mills, Katherine Reif, Jimmie Rollins, Colleen Ross, and Jane Thatcher.

Apprentice members are: Dora May Evans, Rosemary Harold, Colleen May, Elsie Mae Richter, Rose Ann Smith, Glee Sweeney, Glenna Mae Wampler, Royce Ward, Mildred Wheeler, Barbara Lee Wilhite, and Hazel Willis.

# ... PHI KAPPA PHI



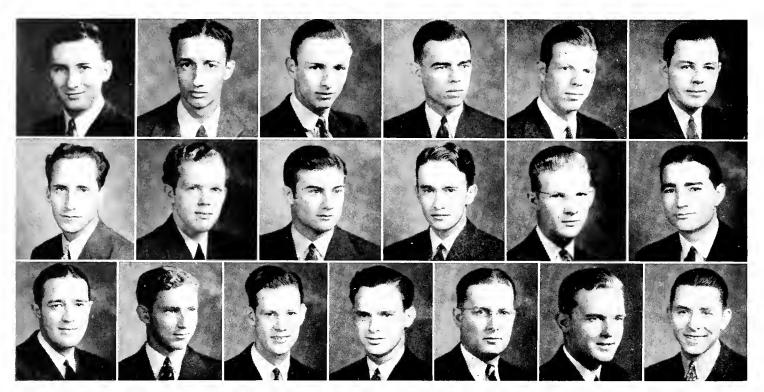
#### THE LOVE OF LEARNING RULES THE WORLD

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi was organized in 1897 for the purpose of encouraging scholarship among college students in all branches of learning, liberal arts and sciences alike. There are fifty chapters, including one each in Hawaii and the Philippine Islands. In 1920 a chapter was formed on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus. Charter members still active are: Dean Nora A. Talbot, Dean C. H. McElroy, Dr. C. E. Sanborn, Professor C. L. Kezer and Dr. H. W. Orr. Elections are held each semester from the upper ten per cent of the year's graduating class. The newly elected members are honored at the annual spring banquet which takes place the Friday immediately preceding Commencement. Officers for the current year are: Professor Robert Stratton, President; Professor Mabel Davis Holt, Vice-President; Miss Helen Freudenberger, Secretary; Professor Hi Staten, Treasurer; Professor Anna Oursler, Journal Correspondent.

Each spring members of the fall group of pledges may apply for nomination by the local chapter for one of the four scholarships offered by the National Phi Kappa Phi Society. An Oklahoma A. and M. student was awarded one of these appointments in 1936.

Having faith in the only true aristocracy, that of the intellect, Phi Kappa Phi seeks to foster in its members a sense of the obligations of the scholar to society. It encourages the more gifted young person to become a specialist in interpreting life in terms of absolute truth; to be a crusader against prejudice and fanaticism; to observe tendencies with alertness and to appraise values with wisdom. In short, Phi Kappa Phi seeks to mold leaders in the realm of the intellect.

#### BLUE KEY . . .



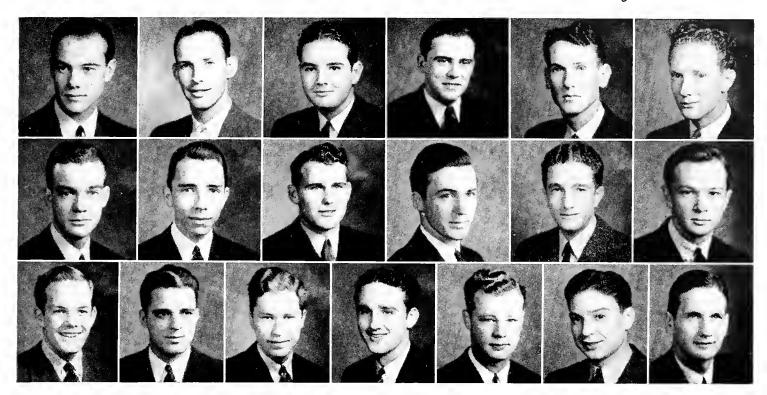
Top Row, left to right—Berousek, Boydston, Brown, Carson, Cleveland, Cole Second Row—Crowley, Dinusson, Foley, Gathers, Hardesty, Hawkins Third Row—Heidebrecht, Holcombe, Holderby, Holton, Howell, Jones, Kelly

There is one emblem on the Aggie campus which has come to command more respect, perhaps, than any other. It is an oblong key of gold, with corners of brilliant azure blue from which the key and the organization it represents take their name, and with a spread-eagle carrying a laurel wreath appearing in the center. A man wearing this key may be instantly recognized as a leader in some phase of campus life, or more likely, in a number of activities.

Blue Key stands in a unique position at Oklahoma A. and M. College. It is by all odds the broadest and most representative group of student leaders on the campus. It cuts across activity lines to harmonize the efforts of the campus politician, the athlete, the musician, and the scholar. It cuts across residence lines to bring together men from the farthest corners of the campus. There can be no denying that the regular luncheon meetings of Blue Key, merely in furnishing the background for fellowship among these men from such diversified ranks, perform a most useful and necessary service.

Blue Key owes its origin to the work of Major B. C. Riley of the University of Florida. Major Riley faced the problem of arranging a successful Homecoming Day at his University, and requested the aid of a number of outstanding students to put it across. He was so impressed with the ability and trustworthiness of these men that he organized them into a permanent society, and later carried the idea to other campuses. Major Riley's plan was so successful that there are at the present time seventy-four collegiate chapters in all parts of the United States. The University of Wichita, University of Arkansas, Kansas State, and Oklahoma City

### ... A Service Organization



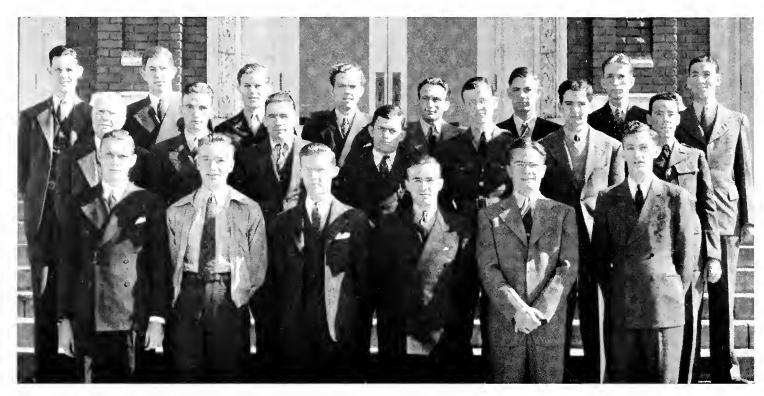
Top Row, left to right—Kirkpatrick, List, Lobingier, Mason, Morford, Morey Second Row—Omohundro, Parks, Pollock, Price, Rice, Reynolds Third Row—Roberts, Schwabe, Slack, Smelser, Sparks, Synar, Tallant

University are some of the nearer schools boasting chapters. The Oklahoma A. and M. College chapter was installed with twelve charter members on May 18, 1932. Mr. Raymond Bivert, of the college publications department, is the only one of those twelve founders still actively connected with the local group. Dean C. H. McElroy and Dr. E. L. Stromberg are the other faculty members of the fraternity. They also serve as advisors. In the spring of 1940, Coach Henry P. Iba was initiated as an honorary member, and the Blue Key members have greatly enjoyed their contact with this popular director of athletics.

The Blue Key national honor fraternity has frequently been compared to such civic clubs as Rotary, Kiwanis, or the Lions Club. Indeed, it has been called the collegiate Rotary. Like the latter, its activities center around regular dinner meetings where mutual contact with the broad range of interests represented is a valuable experience for the members. But this fellowship, worthy as it may be, is far from the consummation of Blue Key's ambition. It is the ideal of "Service" which ranks uppermost in its aims. The fraternity is constantly on the alert for projects of campus service which are beyond the scope of a more specialized honor society or of the Student Association. Special trains to football games and a banquet for the varsity basketball and wrestling teams are typical examples. The extremes to which Blue Key goes in this service may be facetiously illustrated by the custom of furnishing its members as targets for a cream-puff-throwing booth at the Aggievator Carnival each year.

Officers: Carl Blackwell, president; Bob Morford, vice-president; Byron Kirkpatrick, secretary; and John Schwabe, treasurer.

#### PHI ETA SIGMA . . .



Front Row, left to right—Krumme, Burton, Hardesty, Rickman, McIlwain, Walcher Second Row—Dean McElroy, Hobbs, Hobbs, Chandler, Nance, Frank, Von Tunglen Third Row—Holderby, Scheirman, Walker, Dinusson, Lucas, Steichen, Taylor, Benbrook

Phi Eta Sigma, a national honorary scholastic fraternity for freshman men, was founded at the University of Illinois on March 23, 1923, by Dean Thomas Arkle Clark. Up to this time, there were many honorary organizations for students of the upper classes, but none for ambitious freshmen. It was to stimulate and reward scholarship in the freshman class that the fraternity was formed.

The Oklahoma A. and M. Chapter was founded February 19, 1931 as the twenty-seventh chapter of the national organization. Dean C. H. McElroy, Dean of Men, was one of the charter members and is at present the faculty sponsor.

This year has been an active one for Phi Eta Sigma. During orientation week, booklets on "How to Study" printed by the fraternity were passed out by the organization and the president spoke to the incoming freshman men telling them about Phi Eta Sigma. On December 11, initiation was held for the men who became eligible the second semester of last year. The requirements of the fraternity are that the student make at least a 3.5 average in 13 or more hours, which is equivalent to making grade of half "A" and half "B".

A smoker was scheduled December 16 for all freshmen making a grade point average of 3. or better at mid-semester. The aims and ideals of the fraternity were explained. After the semester grades were turned in, initiation was held for those who were eligible for the fraternity, and they were presented with the "magic key of Phi Eta Sigma."

Late in the spring, a steak fry is held to elect the officers for the coming year. Officers for this year were: George Krumme, President; Taylor Burton, Vice-President; Murray Rickman, Secretary; Walt Stanilka, Treasurer; Douglas Benbrook, Historian; and Dale Hardesty, Senior Advisor.

# ... MORTAR BOARD



Top Row, left to right-Marjorie Johnson, Dorothy Jones, Betty Jonas, Helen Yandell, Eleanor Young Second Row-Marie Chauncy, Jean Maggard, Nancy Echols, Rose Mary Tompkins, Grace Winterringer

Mortar Board is Oklahoma A. and M. College's newest national college honor society, having been installed November 16, 1940. Previous to that time the senior women's honor organization was Achafoa, which was a group founded ten years ago by six outstanding women. This group immediately set about to meet the requirements for nationalization; two years ago, when Oklahoma A. and M. College received American Accredited University rating all major difficulties had been surmounted.

In the fall of 1939, Mrs. F. D. Coleman, president of National Council of Mortar Board, visited this campus to see the college, interview its officials, and meet the members of Achafoa. Her report was favorable and in a few weeks eleven Achafoa women, for the number was increased at Mrs. Coleman's suggestion, made plans for the final petition, which when approved by all other chapters of Mortar Board would admit their organization into this national body, which alone among women's honor groups ranks with Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi in the Association of College Honor Societies.

Included in the Mortar Board service program are: Orange Quill, requiring a 3.5 point grade average of freshmen women, and Orange and Black Quill, requiring a three point grade average and leadership in sophomore activities; these two organizations are honors awarded to freshman and sophomore women each spring. Also, Mortar Board sponsors leadership training schools, and study halls, as well as a personal honor recognition program; these are intended to help develop the qualities of leadership, scholarship, character and service upon which new members to Mortar Board are elected.

#### "O" (LUB . . .



Front Row, left to right—Cathey, Snow, Clapham, Hancock, Liles, M. Brotherton, Brown, Scanland, Horner, Singleton, Cochrane

Second Row—Francis, Bowles, Morgan, Burke, Reynolds, Patterson, Wiley, Henry, Williams, McGeehon, Southall Third Row—Munn, Gibson, Kellerth, Kontz, Moore, Clark, Stuart, Faubian, McClure, Feldkemp, Goodfox

The "O" Club is the oldest of the campus organizations and occupies an enviable position among other student organizations. The Club is composed of winners of an athletic "O" and has as its purpose the promotion of fellowship and a feeling of good will among lettermen and the supporting of all enterprises for the betterment of Oklahoma A. and M. College. Thus united they are able to encourage and foster all activities and enterprises that aid in the betterment of athletics and athletic policies of the college.

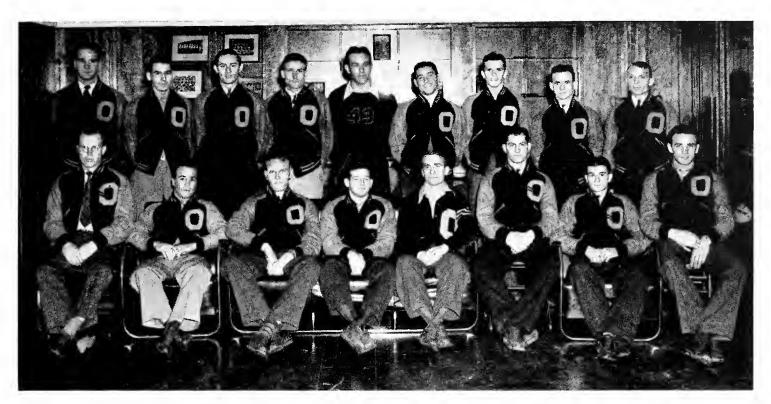
Membership can only be obtained through participation in varsity athletics, and thus a select group of men of similar interest are brought together.

During the past year the "O" Club has continued to sponsor a weekly student mixer and dance in the old gymnasium. The purpose of these weekly dances is to afford a means by which the Club may present graduating seniors with an "O" blanket and to give all students an opportunity to meet in a friendly, informal manner regardless of economic status or other affiliations.

Miss Clara Gene Dickman was selected as "O" Club Queen and was crowned at the homecoming football game with Washington University. Clara Gene has been an ideal Queen and has proven her royalty by reigning over this club in such a queenly fashion.

The era of building at Oklahoma A. and M. College is continuing and, from the athletic point of view, is proving very successful. The "O" Club has one of the finest club rooms on the campus and with the enlargement of the stadium, the athletes will have a new dormitory in which to live.

#### .. "O" CLUB



Top Row, left to right—Swink, Holderman, Herald, Bonham, Arms, McKinsey, Lawson, Whitehurst, Talbot Bottom Row—McLaughlin, Wertz, Schwertefeger, Pratt, Slade, Logan, Melhorn, Eggleston

Meetings are called on Wednesday nights and the members solve the problems confronting them in these meetings. The members assemble in the "O" Club room which is located in the new fieldhouse. This room is magnificently equipped, including modernistic furniture, radio, drapes, ash trays, and pot plants. The club room is located on the second floor, in the east wing of the fieldhouse. All the trophies and relics of the past years are exhibited in glass enclosed wall-cases.

"O" Club members who completed their eligibility this past year are: football players Donald Bonham, Ed Clark, Gene Hancock, Winston Herald, Ed Moore, Chase McLaughlin, Amos Goodfox, and Waldon Wilson; basketball players Howard Francis, Harvey Pate, Vernon Schwertfeger, Gene Smelser, and Leroy Floyd; trackmen Jack Horner, George Gibson, and W. L. Clapham; wrestler Calvin Melhorn; swimmers David Wiley and James McClure.

This organization includes many men who are outstanding in campus organizations as well as in athletics. Some of the most outstanding are: Gene Smelser, president of the student body and president of Education Council; Kenneth Holderman, member Commerce Student Council; Ray Crowley, president Arts and Science Council; and George Darrow, member Education Council. L. J. Eggleston was elected Popularity Prince at the Sadie Hawkins Dance.

The officers for the 1940-41 school year were: Ray Crowley, president; Kenneth Holderman, vice-president; Chase McLaughlin, secretary-treasurer; Hugh Swink, sergeant-at-arms; and Jim Lookabaugh was the Faculty Adviser.

#### HELL HOUNDS . . .



Front Row, left to right—Harrison, Hawkins, Henderson, Powell (Queen), Cradduck, Adams, Holton Second Row—Emerson, Logan, Peyton, Barnes, Morford, Harlan, Carmichael Third Row—Boyd, Booker, Kelly, Doolan, O'Dea, Nelson, Waken, Henderson

The Hell Hound organization was started early in the fall of 1921. It did not survive the next year, and a few of the same men banded together in 1922 to form the present organization of Pi Epsilon Pi.

In January of 1927 Hell Hounds received a charter from the national chapters of Pi Epsilon Pi, which has chapters in the outstanding schools throughout the country. It is the purpose of the organization to foster a spirit of coöperation in organized pep at all athletic events. It also stimulates friendly rivalry in colorful stunts and organized cheering at such events.

At present, the organization has over one hundred members, which gives it and the school the distinction of possessing one of the largest pep organizations in the Southwest.

Initiations are held twice yearly, at the beginning of the fall semester and again near the close of the spring semester. Membership to the organization is restricted to a limit of eight men from each of the thirteen social fraternities and to twenty men from the dormitories and off the campus.

During Hell Week the "pups" (name given to the pledges) are required to wear orange shirts, a dog collar, and an ancient bone every day to school. One day during the week they wear a tux to their classes for the purpose of attaining the culture of a gentleman.

Meetings are held regularly throughout the year, on every other week at the different fraternity houses. In the meetings the plans for the creation of pep are discussed and the activities of the organization are decided upon.

#### ... Off again ... On again



Front Row, left to right—Allman, Campbell, DeWitt, Dorr, Jackson, Hughes, Riley Second Row—Alvis, Sharp, Lawrence, Jones, Shimp, Briggs, Berousek, Orwig, Van Valkenburg Third Row—Abernathy, McKowan, Floyd, Stewart, Cummins, Burnam, Hughes, Bettinger, Carter

The Hell Hounds made their appearance on this campus for the purpose of creating enthusiastic pep and color at every athletic event, and in the past year have lived up to this purpose with their attendance at the home games and many activities. The Hell Hounds are looking forward to next year when again they can show their superiority among the pep organizations.

This year the organization carried out one of the old customs by attending away-from-home athletic events in a body. The first semester the Hell Hounds helped support the special train to Norman for the annual Aggie-Sooner football game. The second semester they made a joint bus trip with the Peppers to the University of Kansas to see the Aggie-Jayhawker basketball game.

This year for the first time in the history of the organization, Pi Epsilon Pi elected a Hell Hound Sweetheart. Candidates were chosen from each of the sorority houses and girls' dormitories. They were voted on by the members in a chapter meeting. Miss Betty Lee Powell, a cute and popular Chi Omega, was elected. She was presented with a white corduroy jacket with the words "Hell Hound Sweetheart" in black letters on the back. With the interest shown in this election, it was decided to make this an annual affair.

Harry Riley was elected to serve as one of the yell leaders for the student body. Harry proved a capable leader and a true Hell Hound.

Officers for the past year were: Henry Henderson, president; Howard Dunnaway, vice-president; Jimmy Jackson, secretary and treasurer; and Gilmer Peyton, sergeant-at-arms.

#### RUF-NEX . . .

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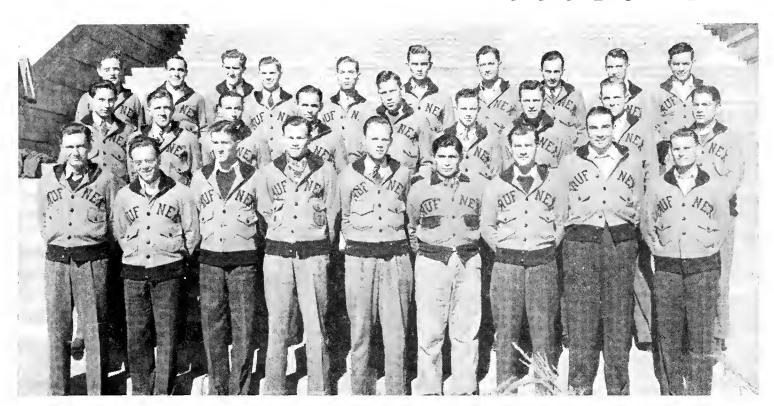


Front Row, left to right—Lierman, Lunger, Bergman, Bellatti, Swain, Mascot, White, Smith, Bone, Harrison Second Row—Foley, Chandler, Cooksey, Bettes, Wicker, Mails, Lynde, Flora Back Row—Stamets, Shouse, Coyle, Hicks, Cooper, Wilson, Kennedy, Foster

The Ag-He-Ruf-Nex, pep order for "he-men", was founded on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus in 1924 and since its organization has been symbolic of the true Aggie spirit and student democracy. This great pep club was founded when it became evident that a men's pep organization was needed to lead the students in demonstrating their appreciation for our great Aggie teams and their fighting spirit. Dean C. H. McElroy and Professor J. H. Caldwell, two active charter members, were instrumental in the establishment of the order. Today, through their sponsorship, the organization strives to better itself in the fulfillment of its primary purpose, boosting the Aggie spirit for all athletic events at home and abroad. The principal functions are to instill a higher degree of the will to win into our Aggie teams and to work with other pep clubs for the purpose of closer cooperation between the students in cheering our teams to victory; and may all men who enter this organization in the future keep these sacred principles in mind.

The membership of this organization reflects the democratic spirit of our campus in that no particular group is given preference; the members include both fraternity and non-fraternity men. To fulfill requirements for pledging the neophyte must be a second semester freshman, he must be a staunch Aggie fan and rooter, and he must be a man of unquestionable character. Following a ten-day "Hell Week", the pledges entertain dates at a scurve banquet which is held at Dad Swim's hangout. The following night the pledges undergo the third degree of initiation and doff their ropes and cowbells for a most cherished orange and black jacket with the words Ruf-Nex written across the front. The final initiations are held in the fall and early in the spring. Honorary members of this or-

# ... RUF-NEX



Front Row, left to right—Winters, Nell, Eberhart, Hobler, Green, Queton, Custer, Briggs, Ross Second Row—Synar, Stewart, Dobles, Carter, Whitson, Tally, Hamilton, Cook, Landers Back Row—Phelps, Huffine, Cheatem, Clark, Craven, Patterson, Wilson, Martin, Paul, Christy

ganization include "Dad" Swim, Henry P. Iba, J. B. Richmond, Ed Phelps and Willis McBride, and the Mascot is little Billy Swim of Stillwater.

The Ruf-Nex usually attend two out-of-town college athletic events at the expense of the organization. A bus is always chartered for the A. and M.-Tulsa football game which is considered the traditional trip of the organization. The other trip abroad is usually the A. and M.-O. U. basketball game at Norman each year. Although countless wagers are made on the Aggie-Tulsa game each year none can compare with the one made by the president of this club with the prexy of the "Windbags". The heads of these organizations bet their hair on the outcome of the game. Last year Gaither Bynum clipped a huge "A" in the middle of the opponent's head and then gave him an army haircut. This year the tables were turned and Charlie Custar has been going by the name of "Baldy" ever since, but next year we are going to avenge our scalped brother and make Tulsa's hair fly.

The biggest pep rally of each year is always led by these rugged sons of Aggieland who represent the true Aggie spirit, by helping to lead the Aggies to victory mid the shouts of cheering students and the ringing of cowbells. Last year the Aggiettes and Ruf-Nex cleared quite a profit by sponsoring a dance and furnished the school's pep band with several new pieces of music. Early in the fall of each year the members of this group entertain their dates with a picnic, dance and softball game at Yost Lake. The Ruf-Nex have had quite a successful year in intermural athletics, finishing near the top in softball, touch football and basketball.

Ruf-Nex officers this year were Charles Custar, President; Spencer Queton, Vice-President; Jimmy Green, Treasurer; and Dale Briggs, Sergeant-at-Arms.

#### AGGIETTES . . .



Top Row, left to right—York, Barnes, West, Upshaw, Ballard, Lewis Second Row—A. Duck, Sewell, Smith, Sloan, Siegust, P. Ford Third Row—Ferris, Johnson, Bloyd, Davis, Durrett, Farrar, Sheehan, Koonce Bottom Row—Byars, Hubbard, Abbott, Tidwell, Young, Campbell, Downing

The Aggiettes, a girls' pep organization, is one of four pep organizations on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus. Aggiettes was organized in 1932 by five enthusiastic girls and has been prominent in the promotion of school spirit since that time.

The purpose of the organization is to establish friends, insure loyalty and spirit to the athletic teams of this college, promote a general enthusiasm among the students and secure the good will of fellow students and the faculty. There is a keen feeling of rivalry between the pep organizations, but they all cooperate for a common cause, the supremacy of Oklahoma A. and M. College in all athletic events coupled with the highest type of sportsmanship.

Each semester a limited number of girls considered eligible by the members are asked to join the organization. Social and scholastic activities and interest in athletic events are taken into consideration when asking girls to join the organization. In order to prove their worth to the organization the pledges are required to go through pledge week. This lasts six and one half days. Each pledge is required to wear the regulation pledge uniform which consists of a white blouse, black skirt, black shoes, and orange and black bow ties, throughout the week. Pledges are required also to carry candy, gum, and mints for the members. The pledge captains and members also find various duties to assign pledges at the most opportune moments during this week. Regardless of the discrimination toward them by the members, the pledges find this period to be a most pleasant one. The pledges have a banquet for the members and initiation is held.

# ... AGGIETTES



Top Row, left to right—Phelps, A. Fox, N. Fox, M. Fox, Brown, Staten Second Row—M. Edsel, Price, Evans, Bisel, Petree, Kelley Third Row—Croisant, Lauahan, Meek, Tinsley, Wilson, W. Ford, May Bottom Row—V. Duck, N. Edsel, Peaden, Davis, Cundiff, Fletcher, Farha

The Aggiettes have established a custom of attending at least two athletic events away-from-home during the year. This year the girls chartered a bus to Norman to attend the annual Aggie-Sooner gridiron clash. Later they chartered a bus and went to Tulsa for the Tulsa-Aggie football game. A special section is reserved for the members at football and basketball games, and they work in harmony with the Peppers, Ruf-Nex, and Hell Hounds in maintaining pep and enthusiasm in the student body.

This year the Aggiettes and the Ruf-Nex spent an evening at Yost Lake, where they had dancing, swimming, and boating. At the close of each year a banquet is held honoring the seniors. This being the last meeting of the organization for the year, the new officers take the oath of office and become officially installed.

At a meeting late in the year Miss Margaret Manor, of the physical education department, was elected co-sponsor to work with Miss Valerie Colvin, who has been sponsor for some time.

Margie Yetman was elected by the members to represent them as one of the cheer leaders. Margie proved herself a very capable cheer leader and the organization followed her throughout the year at all athletic events. Margie, besides being an active member on the campus, is also outstanding in most athletics, tennis being her claim to state-wide fame.

Officers for the year 1940-41 were: Virgie Ruth Duck, president; Nadine Wilson, vice-president; Gladys Staten, secretary-treasurer; Mary Kaye Abbot, reporter; Jerry Meek and Margaret Edsel, pledge captains; and Margie Yetman, cheer leader.

### PEPPERS . . .



Top Row, left to right—Crider, Hughes, Hayman, Corbin, Shockley, Cawley, Turrill, Sweeney, Lancaster Middle Row—Pollard, Willis, Armstrong, Mershon, Heilman, Davis, Greene, D. Green Bottom Row—Stranahan, Swim, Waymire, Box, Neilson, Powell, Weber

For eighteen years Peppers, women's pep organization, has been taking part in maintaining school spirit and bringing pep to various athletic events which take place on the campus.

The purpose of the organization is to stimulate interest among the students in all athletic events and to participate in all endeavors concerning these events with attendance at all of those occurring on the campus.

Peppers was formed in the fall of 1921 with a membership of seven sorority and seven non-sorority girls. Since then it has grown to eighty members. Eight girls from each sorority, twelve from each dormitory, and eight town girls are represented. The members are selected in the individual group they represent.

The costume worn by the Peppers consists of an orange jacket worn with a black skirt and white blouse. Sitting with the Hell Hounds, Ruf-Nex, and Aggiettes, other pep organizations, the Peppers make up a large part of the student section at each football or basketball game on the campus and give their full support in leading yells.

The Peppers gave a banquet in February in honor of the football squad and coach, Jim Lookabaugh. Other activities this year include cooperation with the other pep organizations in stunts at football games and decoration of a car with orange and black crepe paper for the Homecoming parade.

A rousing pep meeting in which the Peppers took part was held one noon when students saw the football players off to a game at Tuscon, Arizona. They also participated in the ceremony at the crowning of the football queen.

#### ... PEPPERS



Top Row, left to right—Dodson, Crider, Cupp, Selph, Benbrook, Vest, McClung, Hutchins Middle Row—Taylor, Epperly, Anthis, Heilman, Beath, Richert, Baker, Lindsey Bottom Row—Matteson, Coldiron, Sturm, Jonas, Lewis, Driskell, Price, Downey, Scanland

The constitution was revised this year, and rotation of officers among the different groups was provided. The Peppers wish to keep their club as democratic as possible.

Officers of the organization are Kathryn Dodson, Willard, President; Mary Sue Lewis, Chi Omega, Vice-President; Teddy Price, Pi Beta Phi, Secretary; Sybillous Box, Kappa Delta, Treasurer; and Glee Sweeney, Zeta Tau Alpha, Social Chairman.

Elizabeth Richert was elected yell leader for the second time and she, along with the other yell leaders, received a new costume, consisting of a white sweater and skirt and megaphone.

A pep council, made up of presidents from the four pep clubs and Dee Moscoe, varsity yell leader, met to decide matters to be brought up in the meetings of the individual groups. Plans for the future include making a least one out-of-town trip each year in a body. It is the desire of the Peppers to stimulate interest in sports and to furnish enthusiasm for athletic groups whether they are winning or losing.

New members this year were: Ysleta Davis, Nancy Pollard, Wandalea Hughes, Mary Sue Lewis, Martha Driskell, Dottie Green, Betty Lee Powell, Sybillous Box, Pauline McClung, Carol Neilson, Mary Cupp, Elise Weber, Dorothy Tourtelotte, Emma Adele Swim, Mary Jo Corbin, Gretchen Pulver.

Margaret Swank, Virginia Owens, Gloria Boedecker, Mildred Pollock, Mary Hayman, Glee Sweeney, Nelda Marie Lancaster, Oleta Greene, Juanita Davis, Dorothy Downey, Lola Baker, Mary Alice Matthews, Patricia Crider, Cecelia Crider, Flora May Waymire, and Lillian Scandland.

#### ITTANAHA . . .



Front Row, left to right—Ahtone, Pelrece, Tyner, Imach, Bergman Second Row—Herron, Thompson, Henderson, Merry, Parman Third Row—Penn, Booker, Bunch, Fryatt, McClelland, Buffington

Ittanaha is an ancient Choctaw word meaning, "The Council of the Redmen." Ittanaha is used as the name of the Oklahoma State Indian Club. The Oklahoma A. and M. College chapter began in 1928 as the Tapela Club with a membership of forty-six. The membership is now sixty-two with a representation from sixteen tribes.

The club has many potential possibilities. At present it serves as a medium for bringing together Indian students from all parts of the state and nation. It serves as a social club as well as a means of keeping in touch with the State and National Indian departments. By keeping in touch with these departments many students have been able to find employment and other assistance in attending college.

It also serves as a means of preservation of Indian traditions, ceremonial and communal customs, and rites, as well as perpetuating the memory of the fastly disappearing Redskin.

The members of this organization have been well represented in the field of sports. Some of the members participating are: Ed Moore, Amos Goodfox, Harry Buffington, and Harvey Pate.

Some of the outstanding activities of this organization are its annual dances and its numerous parties and picnics.

The sponsors of the organization are Dean McElroy, Dean of Men, and Mr. C. T. Sturdivant of the Extension Division. The officers include: Lydia Herron, president; Spencer Queton, vice-president; Nannie Marie Vann, secretary and treasurer; A. Clark Fryatt, sergeant-at-arms; and Leonard G. Downing, reporter.

#### ... PI ZETA KAPPA



Front Row, left to right—Virginia Mershon, Donnie Kite, Mary Josephine Baird, Betty Estill, Ethelyn Fisher, Catherine Benson

Second Ross—Florance Ellen Conger, Camille House, Dorothy Grace Jones, Elizabeth Morris, Neata Fox, Hazel Mitchell, Mary Alice Duncan

Third Row-Mrs. C. M. Leonard, Anita Kezer, Dorothy Ridings, Susan Barber, Lena Phillips, Miss Gertrude Tennyson

Fourth Row-Helen Dunlap, Fern Weatherley, Ila Thomas, Martha Nelson, Lois Jacob, Kathryn Moore, Edna Lee Davis

Fifth Row—Loretta Lord, Charline Hyer, Ruth Miler

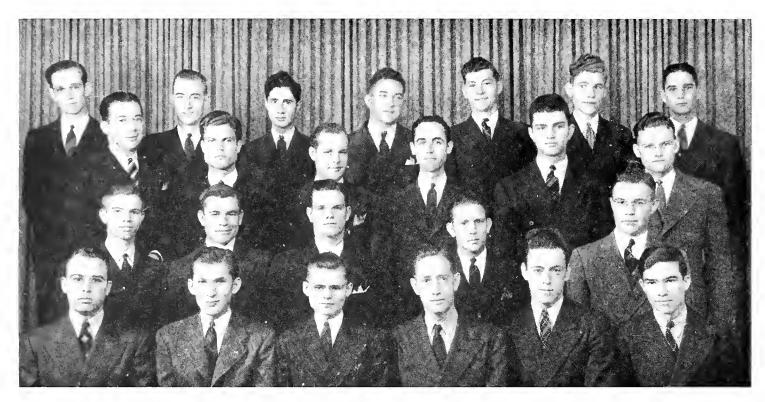
Back Row—Oleta Greene, Adeline Fox, Jeanne House, Colene Bogaud, Marcelle Caskey, Esta Mae Barksdale, Virginia McKinney

Pi Zeta Kappa, national inter-denominational religious sorority, came into being on the campus of the University of Oklahoma. In 1920, four women of that school arrived at the same idea about such an organization and began the workings of the group. Now it is in its twentieth year of activity on the Oklahoma A. and M. campus with forty-two active members and pledges whose united effort is directed toward the bringing of girls of high ideals and standards into closer fellowship with each other, and to further all religious activities connected with student life.

Together with its brother organization, Kappa Tau Pi, Pi Zeta Kappa has carried on social service projects throughout the year, joined in social activities and endeavored to bring about a deeper understanding of the true Christian spirit in campus living.

Members are selected on the basis of their leadership in church activities, personal integrity, and scholastic standing.

#### KAPPA TAU PI...



Front Row, left to right—Lodwick, Baird, Mason, Dodd, Deen, Brady Second Row—Bunch, Hixon, Bell, Watson, Vogt Third Row—Bryan, Black, Martin, Salee, Hutchison, Thomas Fourth Row—McGlammery, Stuard, Potter, Johnson, Luker, Cheatham, Frieden

Kappa Tau Pi, National Interdenomination Religious Fraternity, was founded on the Oklahoma University campus in 1918 by eight Christian young men. Two years later the Beta Chapter was installed on the campus of the Oklahoma A. and M. College.

The primary purpose of Kappa Tau Pi is to make more perfect union of Christian forces; to insure cooperation between Christian institutions; to promote Christian ideals; and to provide a broader basis for Christian activity among the students of universities and colleges. The secondary purpose is to place a mark of honor upon those engaged in Christian work among students. Membership in the fraternity is limited to those who are actively engaged in church work and who make at least thirty-six grade points each semester.

The organization this year has continued to grow in number as well as spiritually. A deeper spiritual understanding has come to the members from this brotherhood organization. This year several meetings have been held with our sister organization, Pi Zeta Kappa. The annual Christmas party for underprivileged children was given by the two organizations. The inter-chapter meeting of the Alpha and Beta chapters was held on our campus, March 15, 1940.

The officers for the year are: President, Richard Mason; Vice-President, Warren Baird; Recording Secretary, James Lodwick; Corresponding Secretary, Wilbur Brady; Treasurer, Orien Dodd; Chaplin, Lloyd Deen; Historian, Clifford Potter; and Bailiff, Dewey Bell.

New members for the first semester were: Henry Black, James Cheatum, Bill Forkner, J. P. Bryan, Weldon Vogt, Raiford Luker, Eugene Watson, and James Johnson.

#### . . . KAPPA PHI



Front Row, left to right—Cox, Winget, Harper, Grey, Phillips, Marlin, Vears, Cliff, Becker, Shaw Second Row—Hester, Staten, Seigrist, Wassan, Thompson, Ireland, Cromwell, M. Edsel, Philpott, Hillin, Wulz, Abbott, Hughes

Third Row-Woodsmall, Pittman, L. Holms, Poteet, P. Hensley, Steagull, Bullock, Douglas, Wormon, Warner, Croisant, Adams

Fourth Row—Sherwood, R. Treadwell, N. Edsel, E. Hensley, Bateman, Johnson, Lasely, Ludeman, Hoover, Overmiller, Steincamp, Hutchinson, Christy

Kappa Phi, national Methodist club for girls, was founded at Kansas University by Mrs. Gordon B. Thompson in 1916. The Theta chapter of Kappa Phi was organized at Oklhaoma A. and M. College, May 21, 1920, with Mrs. C. U. Dubois as its first sponsor.

The Kappa Phi Club is organized to form a closer association among Methodist women who are students in universities and colleges, to make work among women students of the Methodist church more effective and sufficient, to maintain a more serviceable organization for orienting new girls each year, and to provide religious training and wholesome social life which will appeal to college level women students.

Aim of the club is "Every woman in the university world today a leader in the church tomorrow." Any Methodist preference woman student is eligible for membership in the organization. This year's theme has been "The Good Earth." Meetings are held two Sundays each month. In December the club entertained guests at its annual Christmas formal party, which was the main social affair of the winter season. For second semester a hay rack ride is the most prominent social event.

Kappa Phi has approximately eighty members at the present time. About twenty-five girls were pledged at the beginning of the second semester.

Mary Frances Cromwell, Stillwater, is president of the Oklahoma A. and M. College chapter. She is aided in her work by Mrs. J. C. Ireland and a cabinet of nineteen officers.

#### Y. W. C. A. . . .



Front Row, left to right—M. Fox, Price, Claypool, Conger, Hyer, N. Fox
Second Row—Cromwell, Bardsley, Etchison, Tompkins, Chauncy
Top Row—Duncan, Yandell, Jones, Abrams, West, Arnold, Schneider, V. Etchison, Warnom, Crow, Dunlap

Organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. Campus "to assist women students in realizing a fuller life", the Young Women's Christian Association has become a living part of the college. Gathering momentum through the years, it now has a membership of about 600 women students. Requirements for membership are simple, for "any woman student may become a member of our YWCA through her interest and participation in YWCA activities". The organization embraces those Christian ideals which are known to all people.

In such a continually changing membership, Miss Vesta Etchison, General Secretary, has been the center and power binding it together in its unceasing progress. The YWCA sponsors a program which emphasizes fellowship, leadership, and personal development. The group believes that through these activities, college women are enabled to better acquaint themselves with college life and the problems of college adjustment.

The yearly program of YWCA embraces: Cabinet meetings, worship services, social functions, discussion groups, interest groups, conferences, retreats, Religious Emphasis programs, and Freshman Commission work.

Working with Rose Mary Tompkins, is her Cabinet and other officers: Helen Yandell, Mary Frances Cromwell, Vestagene Etchison, and Teddy Price; and Chairmen of the various committees: Helen Dunlap, Camille House, Dorothy Jones, Marie Chauncey, Florence Ellen Conger, Jane Schneider, Lou Ann Claypool, Mary Alice Duncan, Mikki Bardsley, Louise Whitney, Dorothea Arnold, Margaret Fox, Margaret Abrams, Martha Jean West, Neata Fox, Charline Hyer, and Kathryn Wornam.

### ... PI EPSILON ALPHA

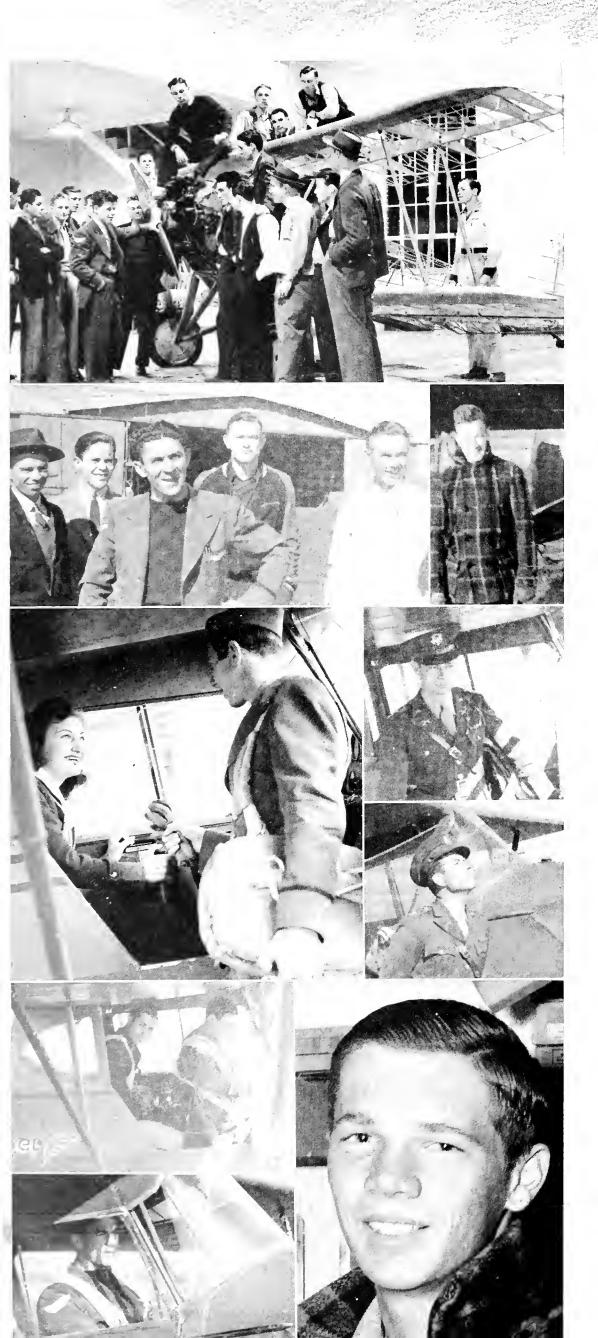


Front Row, left to right—Vernon, Ross, Terry, West, Kelly, Overstreet, Phillips
Second Row—Wood, Billingsley, Buckles, Gregg, Hollis, Gooch, Green, Barber, Beck, Brown, Koneig
Third Row—Woolpert, Woods, Butts, Shawver, Schumpert, Saker, Crable, Herald, Trible, Schanler, Johnson, Waldby

Established in 1926 to fulfill the needs of college girls in promoting Christian fellowship, Pi Epsilon Alpha, interdenominational religious sorority, has been an active organization since that time. Since 1940 at the National Convention the sorority, formerly affiliated with the South Methodist Church, was made interdenominational. In this way the influence is more far-reaching because of the opportunities it affords all denominations. Christian, Lutheran, Baptist, Church of Christ, Evangelical and Methodist are denominations represented in the group. The program for the year includes a study of the different denominations and religions, along with a well rounded devotional program. Pastors of the separate churches bring these studies and the meetings are open to the public. Mrs. C. A. Melton, better known to the girls as Mother Nettie, is the sorority sponsor. She and "Daddy Melton" taxi the girls to meeting each Tuesday night. This affords the girls rides and fun for parties and picnics as well as meeting. Social highlights of the year include pledge parties, a Christmas party, a spring retreat at Yost Lake, and an annual Dixie banquet in the spring, as well as various other social affairs. This active program attempts to help meet the present and future needs of the girls religiously, educationally, and socially.

Officers in the organization are: President, Martha Jean West; First Vice-President, Bonnie Phillips; Second Vice-President, Wanda Briggs; Recording Secretary, Marjorie Patchin; Corresponding Secretary, Audine Buckman; Treasurer, Danna Kelly; Editor, Ida Copley; Chaplain, Rose Mary Herald; Historian, Ruth Elizabeth Ross; and Parliamentarian, Frances Terry.

#### C. A. A. Trainees . . .



The Civil Aeronautics Authority was introduced to the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus last year for the purpose of training civilians who are interested in flying and in purchasing planes.

This year an advanced course has been added to this part of the college. Al Guthrie is in charge of the aerial training at the airport and Professor E. C. Baker of the Mechanical Engineering Department supervises ground school instructions.

Ground school class rooms are in the new Engineering building while the airport is located three miles north of the campus. Transportation is furnished to the sixty-seven students, including several girls, by a station wagon which makes hourly trips to and from the field.

Students enrolled in CAA training are allowed to carry only fourteen hours of class work in addition to their flight courses. Ground classes are held three nights during the week and students are required to solo after ten hours of aerial instruction.

The Stillwater municipal airport is now under construction. This modern field with large hangars will be completed by next fall. Much of the work to obtain these new facilities can be accredited to the late Mayor M. J. Bradley.

Plans are being formulated to increase the amount of training available and to purchase more equipment. Many of the graduates of these courses are going into the United States Air Corps training schools.

C. A. A. students start ground school training . . . Dean Bunch and his instructor at the airport . . . Dee Moscoe prepares for his solo flight . . . Several girls are enrolled in the air training course . . . some of the girls are the first in their class to solo . . . Charles Cravens, prexy of Hanner Hall, gazes into the sky before the take-off The aviators look forward to the new airport for next year.



# Warm Spring nights...



Spring rains came and stayed for quite a spell and the usual unanswered pleas for more sidewalks were successful for once and the situation was not as bad as it has been before.

House and organization elections were held and members ethically moved vicepresidents on to the top positions without much trouble.

Some more "open houses" came along including a swell one by the girls who run the PBX board. Purpose of this affair was to show certain people the inadequate equipment—it was probably a success.

We almost forgot Easter vacation, and it did come a little later this year. Most students planned to get caught up on studies after mid-semester reports, but as usual, the same eating, sleeping, and playing of any other vacation was carried out.

Students were closing up the school almost before they realized the second semester was under way and honor assembly was next in line.

Many bets were made concerning who would be selected as most outstanding graduates of the class, with many pros-

Joe Holliman and Phyllis Horn meet at the Prairie Playhouse . . . Hugh Stoops bashfully shows his present at the Hanner Hall Xmas party . . . Brice Harris and Anna Lou McClelland attract attention in their Scottish attire . . . Marion Booker starts to class . . . Bill White is a victim of the slippery sidewalks.

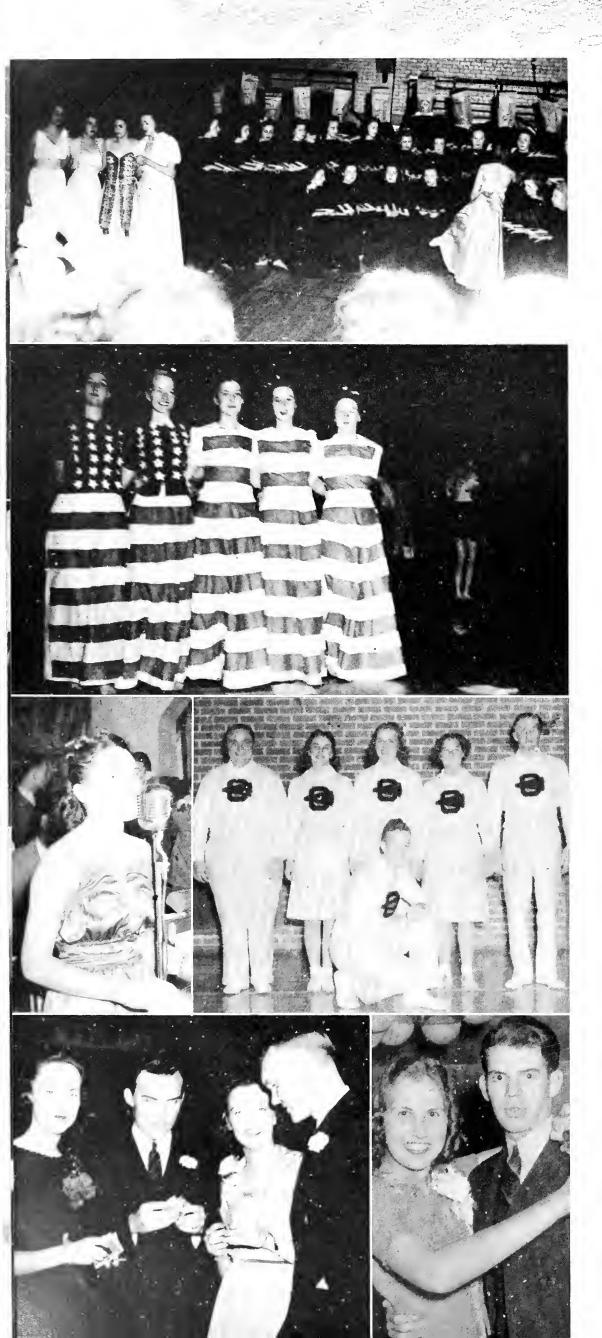
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Hal Price and his Varsitonians beat it out in a jam session for the students at one of the campus hangouts . . . Tully Lale and date enjoys the region around Theta pond . . . student fireman dons a fire helmet . . . A. and M. is the only school in the nation offer-



#### Final Exams . . .



pects, making a hard decision for that secret committee. Lockets, pins, trophies and awards of all kinds were given out by various campus organizations to what seemed to be an unusually deserving bunch of boys and girls.

And that mad rush of finals again came around with the usual good resolutions being repeated once more. Everyone plans to be ready for them the next time, but it's always the same old story—cramming just before the tests.

Another class had almost finished, and some more hopefuls were right behind them, ready to take their place as seniors and as campus big shots.

Since the staff got ahead of schedule for once, the big question at the end of the year was not in regard to when the REDSKINS would return, but whether or not the O'Collegian would get out next year.

And then there was also a little wondering as to the possibility of our college men marching in uniforms next fall, instead of down college avenue in tweeds.

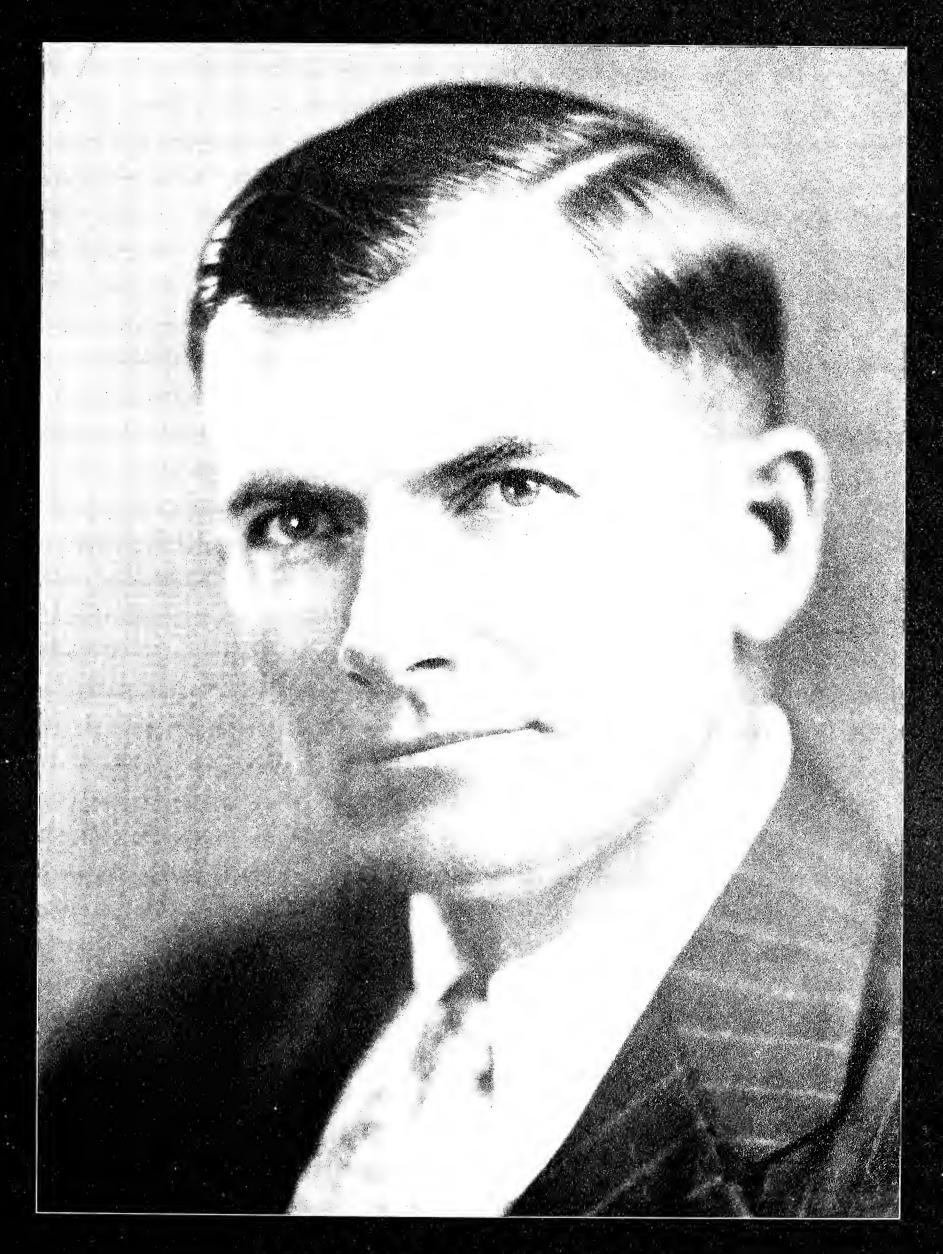
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The winning act of the Co-Ed Prompresented by Kappa Alpha Theta... another scene from the prom reflects a flare of campus patriotism... Margaret Muse vocalizes for Jimmy Baker's band... Riley, Reinauer, Richards, Yetman, Stewart and Moscoe complete the year as cheer leaders... Sharp, Schwertfeger and dates at a formal.

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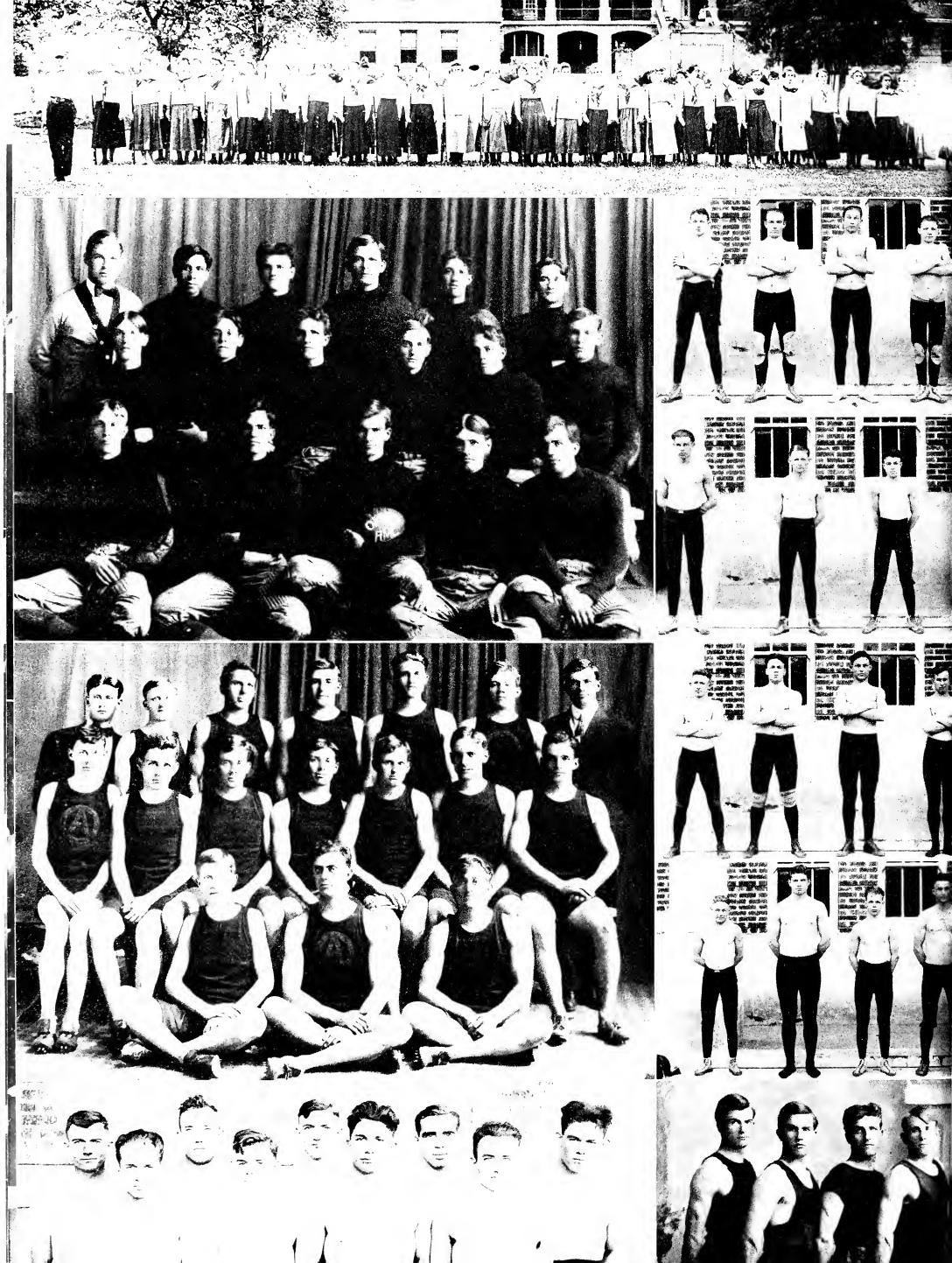
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EDWARD C. GALLAGHER
1887-1940

Maker of men – Builder of character





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Three years ago the game of football at Oklahoma A. and M. was regarded more as a stepchild, rather than as it should have been, a lusty and rugged member of the Aggie family. The game then was wallowing in the throes of ineptness and impotency with triumphs labeled only for the opposition and defeats an accepted and established fact, almost before a game was played.

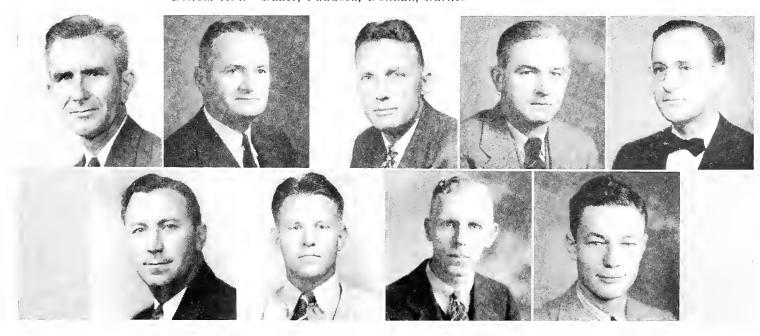
Yes, most of the Puncher teams since the glory of the Waldorf regime had always shown promise—always a promise but never a pay-off. Not that the respective coaches of the various combines after the successful Waldorf were lacking in ability, but for some unexplained reason the Aggie grid teams seemed to lack the spark, the scintilla that can make a great team out of a mediocre combine. Injuries, ineligi-

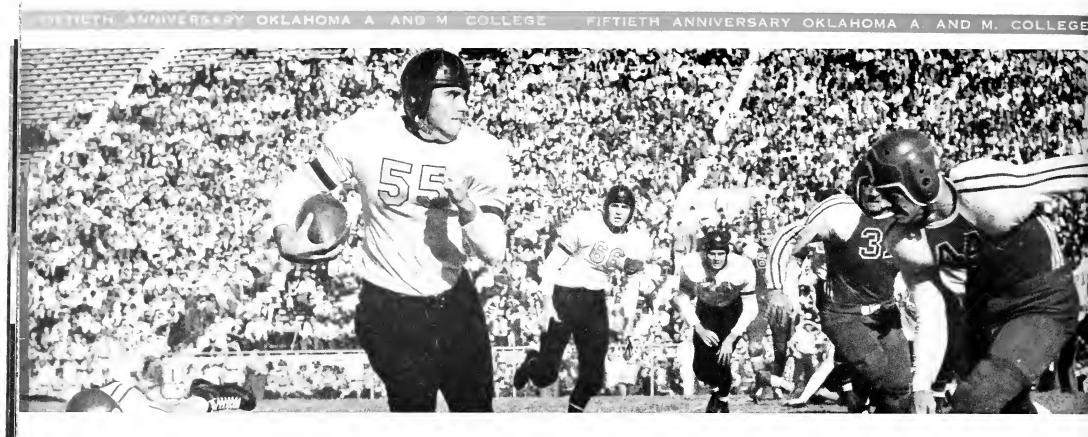


bilities and every other jinx on the record seemed to gang up on the Puncher football forces and choke any and all hopes for even a fair to middlin' Aggie grid eleven.

Then in 1939 a lean, tall gent who somewhere about his unassuming and amiable person, possessed that spark or bit of fire that had been lacking in the great

Top Row, left to right—Lookabaugh, Griffith, Higgins, Greene, Hunt Bottom Row—Baker, Paddock, Dolman, Barnes





game of football here, made his appearance on the A. and M. campus. That hunk of fire he brought wasn't latent long as James Clark Lookabaugh, an A. and M. graduate, took over the loose reins of the Puncher gridiron combine and in two short years has again guided them along the road that leads to the top.

An old adage among football coaches reads something as follows:

"A football coach must have one of two traits if he is to succeed in his chosen field. Either he must be able to turn out winning football teams or develop in his boys the outstanding attribute of character." Oklahoma A. and M. has been fortunate in having acquired one of those exceptionally versatile gentlemen who in his last two years has accomplished the task of fulfilling both prerequisites of being a great mentor. This year his boys turned in a record, although not brilliant, that at least is comparable with the record turned in by great squads of the past.

There were moments of brilliance in the season's duration as well as a share of bitterness and disappointments for losses hard to digest, but the share was much smaller than those of the past. But as one sports scribe aptly described the rise of Aggie football stock, at least the Puncher eleven was able to look every opponent squarely in the face and not back down in shame-faced ineffectuality.

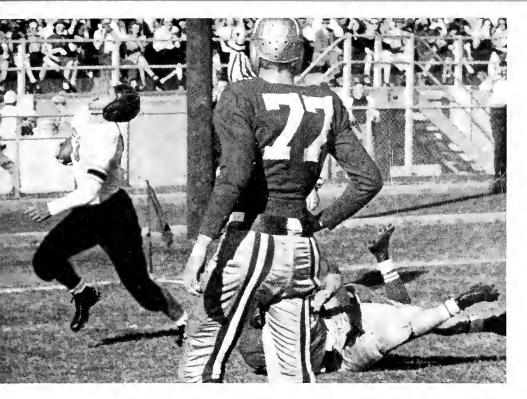
Individual honors for Cowboy performers were plentiful with such fine players as Jimmy Reynolds, Ed Moore, Jack Faubion, Sonny Liles and Hugh Swink earning places on mythical All-star combines.

In Jimmy Reynolds A. and M. probably had her most versatile back in history. Reynolds made the All-Missouri Valley first team, was given All-American honorable mention by the Associated Press, and made the All-Midlands team selected by players all over the country for Liberty magazine. He was also selected by coast sports writers as the outstanding sophomore back of the year and Jimmy ranked in the first ten among the nation's top ground gainers. The Punchers opened their schedule at home against the always tough Central Teachers, perennially the State Collegiate champs and had a much tighter squeeze than the favorable 25 to 6 score might indicate.

Coach Claude Reed brought his usually well-coached aggregation up from Edmond to do battle on Friday, September 20, and fought the inexperienced Aggies tooth and nail right up until the final gun. A. and M. was led in their first half offensive by Jimmy Reynolds and Bill

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Crimmins, a combining duo that zigzagged and smashed respectively to two Aggie touchdowns. In the second half Central's mighty halfback, Jay Thompson, started living up to advance billing. Jay finally culminated his actions by gathering in a pass, thrown from his own twenty, on the fifty and then fooled the Aggie secondary with some fancy stepping, to tally their lone score.

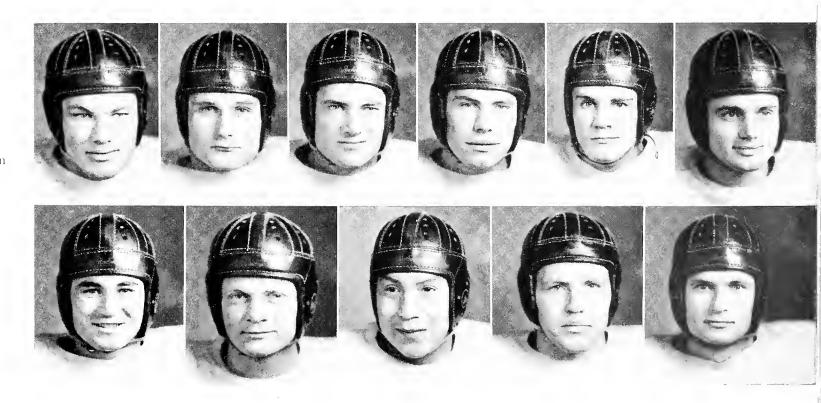
Jack Faubion, blond bombshell, sparked the Aggie drives on the following two touchdowns, scoring one himself and setting the ball up for diminutive Al Scanland to carry over on the other. Playing at Oklahoma City the night of

September 28, in Taft stadium before a disappointing crowd of 6,000 patrons, Oklahoma A. and M. was only 70 seconds from a glorious victory over the highly-touted Texas Tech aggregation, in their second contest of the year, but finally had to be satisfied with a 6 to 6 deadlock.

After the Punchers took a 6 to 0 lead with five minutes to play in the first half and held the Texans stalemated until the last few seconds, it looked as if the highly-touted visitors would return home a sader and wiser ball club.

The Aggies scored when Jimmy Reynolds drew back his sling shot arm and rifled a pass to end Ed Moore on the Tech 33, Moore galloping the remaining distance without a hand being laid on him. Reynolds try for the extra point was low by a foot. With only three minutes to play in the ball game Reynolds kicked out on the Tech 20 and the game seemed sewed up. But two plays later halfback C. L. Storrs dropped back and threw a high, arching pass down the center of the field. The alert Aggie defenders leaped high to knock down the pass but were over-zealous and the ball went between them as they collided and sub end Clarence Tillery scooped up the ball inches from the ground and ambled over the Aggie goal line forty yards away. The frenzied Aggie line rushed the Tech try for extra point so hard it was a complete dud.

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Bonham
M. Brotherton
Brown
Buffington
Clark
Bottom Row:
Darrow
Faubion
Goodfox
Green
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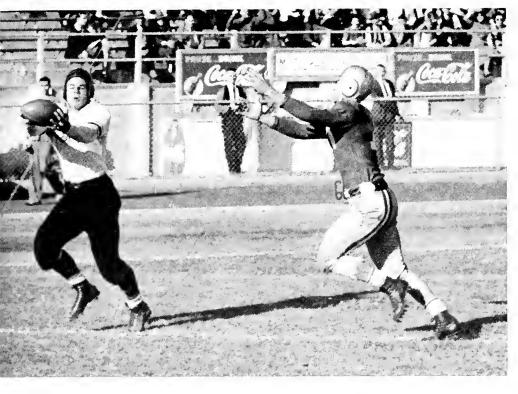
The following week-end the Puncher forces traveled to Norman and although defeated 29 to 27 the contest produced one of the greatest rallies ever seen in the history of football. The heavier, more experienced Sooners were expected to steam-roller the Punchers by at least three to six touchdowns and opened the ball game in just that manner, scoring three and a half minutes after the start of the tilt. However, the Punchers were still in the ball game and matched the Sooner tally several minutes later on a pass from Reynolds to Herald. Both teams' try for extra points after their touches were bad. O. U. scored again before the first half and then converted to hold a half time lead of 13 to 6 and with the opening of the second half continued their scoring by marking up two more touchdowns and a safety, running the score to 29 to 6 with only three minutes left. Then A. and M. came to life and in two minutes and fifty seconds scored 21 points. Faubion plunged for two of the touchdowns after costly O. U. fumbles and Reynolds passed to Lonnie Jones for the other marker. Reynolds converted on all three tries. The lighter and greener Ags lost but the loss was a far cry from the defeat a year ago of 41 to 0.

Next week Wichita was entertained at Stillwater and a pair of fine blocking backs in Lonnie Jones and Winston Herald led the Punchers to a satisfactory 26 to 6 triumph. Four men scored touchdowns for A. and M. in this fiasco, Reynolds, Stuart, Jones and Faubion coming through. Lefty Hayes scored for the visitors on a nifty end run.

The Missouri champions, Washington Bears, were the next team to feel the wrath of the potent Aggie attack as they fell before the Aggies here, 53 to 12, before a gala Homecoming crowd. The Missouri team was never in the ball game as the Aggies struck swiftly in the first two minutes of play for their first marker, and then continued to run the Bears ragged with a diversified offense.

The next game on the Puncher schedule might well be forgotten as the Aggies have been accused of sleeping through this one in losing to Arizona at Tuscon by a count of 24 to 0. Three Arizona tallies came on touchdown passes and the fourth on an intercepted pass. Bouncing back from the Arizona defeat the following week-end at Des Moines, Jimmy Reynolds played magnificent ball to lead his team-mates to a brilliant 20 to 14 victory over Creighton in a Missouri Valley tilt.

Washburn was the next victim, in a tilt played at home on a muddy field, the Aggies winning 33 to 14. Little Lonnie Jones, Herald and Reynolds again starred and Tate Ott turned in



the longest run of the year by a Cowboy back, lugging the ball eighty yards for a marker.

A surprising crew of Billikens from St. Louis University almost pulled a major upset the next weekend, as they battled the Puncher forces through 60 minutes of football before finally falling by a 14 to 7 count. Reynolds was again a whirling, stabbing ball of fire as he gained better than 200 yards in the ball game. Faubion lugged the ball over from the two after Reynolds set the touchdown up with three brilliant runs and Jimmy did the honors on the second tally. St. Louis scored on a perfect end

around lateral play that worked from their own 18 yard line. With a bare three minutes to go in the ball game the Bills had the ball on the Aggie three with a first and ten. The A. and M. forward wall held, however, and the Punchers were glad to pull through with their slim win. The final game of the year played in Tulsa against the Golden Hurricane held high stakes for the winner but try as they could on a wet, muddy field the Aggies were unable to seriously threaten the heavier, experienced Hurrican, although taking a touchdown lead before the game was a minute old.

The Golden Hurricane came back to score. During the rest of the first half the Hurricane struck and struck hard. They would drive hard at center and then using the old "spread" formation they would use fast halfbacks to skirt the ends. At the half the score was 12 to 6. The Aggies, heavily outweighed, could never get in scoring position. Buffalo played a crashing game for the Hurricanes during the first half while Reynolds continued to be the main threat for the Aggies. Reynolds was handicapped by an injured shoulder that was hurt on the third play of the game. Liles and Snow were outstanding in the line.

The Oil Capitol team were the winners by a score of 19 to 6 and thereby annexed the Missouri Valley crown. A. and M. scored two plays after the opening kickoff on Jimmy Reynolds

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Henry
Herald
Holderman
Jones
Liles
Looney
Bottom Row:
McLaughlin
Moore
Morgan
Molton
Ott



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pass to end Ken Holderman. However, Tulsa merely overlooked the advantage gained by the Punchers and powered their way to two touchdowns before the first half ended. Led by the Tulsans' great triple-threat back, Glen Dobbs, the home team went on to garner another tally in the final quarter to mark up a decisive win.

Next year Coach Jim Lookabaugh will expect a fine crop of backs and linemen for fall drills with his main weakness being a shortage of wingmen.

Bob Hargrove, greatly improved junior center, has been called in the draft but along with several other Aggie players drawing A-1 classifications, will probably be enrolled in senior military in order to stay in school.

Nine fine backs from this year's combine will return and along with two fine junior college transfers Coach Lookabaugh can turn his worries to other departments.

The flank positions will have two of the 1940 frosh combine giving lettermen George Darrow, Ken Holderman, and Charles Pratt plenty of trouble.

Calvin Allison and Paul Davis are the yearlings that showed enough promise in spring drills to be ear-marked as possible starters this fall.

The tackle positions are ably held down by such stalwarts as Loyd Arms, Hugh Swink, Bo Brown, Mitzi Green, and Bert Cole. This quintet of tackles average 218 pounds in weight and even an O. U. line will find it hard to move these tough Aggies.

Three great guard candidates will fight it out for the two starting positions in their slots, Jack Southall, Sonny Liles and Hershel Hickman.

Last year Liles made the Missouri Valley all-star eleven and Southall played lots of good ball for the Punchers as a regular.

Hickman is a transfer from Tulsa University and if he can shake the injury jinx, one of the two regulars of last year is liable to lose out. Hickman is one of the finest guards ever to attend school at A. and M.

If Junior Bob Hargrove can remain in school the center post will be well taken care of, but if Uncle Sam calls, only Russell Snow, capable but slow reserve, will be on hand to take care of the heavy duty.

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At the end of spring practice the prospects for next year were very promising. Coaches Lookabaugh and Baker were pleased with the rapid progress that the backfield material was showing. The Aggies should be able to trot a team on the field next fall that will have a fleet of fast backs protected by a line of tall two-hundred pounders.

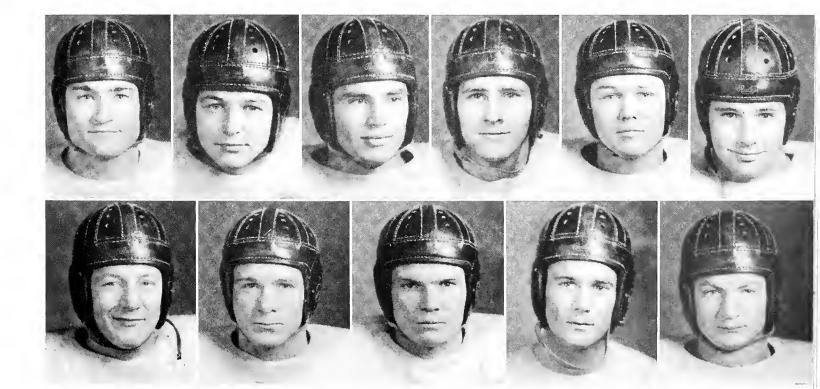
Oklahoma A. and M. has a schedule for next fall that will allow the students to see teams from various parts of the country play at Lewis Field. The seating capacity of Lewis Field is being increased to take care of an expected growth in attendance. Under the north bleachers a dormitory is being con-

structed. The dormitory will have sleeping, dining and study hall accommodations for about eighty athletes. The building will also include a modern laundry for the athletic departments. A new laundry has long been needed by the department. This new building should be completed by the beginning of school next fall.

Missing from next year's team will be graduating seniors: Ed Moore, All-Missouri-Valley end; Donald Bonham, guard; Marvin M. Brotherton, back; Edward Clark, center; Amos Goodfox, end; Chase McLaughlin, back; and Winston Herald, back. These seniors have had their moments of brilliance during the seasons that they have played at A. and M. as well as a share of bitterness and disappointments, but they have proved themselves to be real fighters—true Aggies.

Unless seriously handicipped by loss of material in the draft, likeable Jim Lookabaugh and staff should once again see packed stands at Lewis Field this fall. It looks as though the Aggies should at last round that long sought corner to a victorious season.

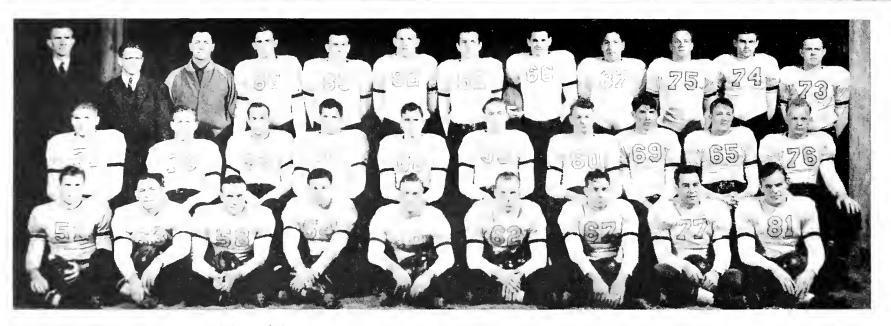
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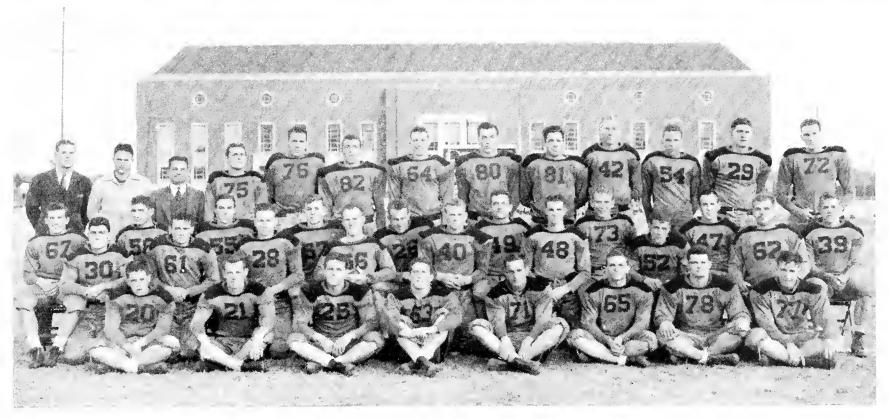
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Front Row, left to right—Hancock, McKenzie, Liles, Jones, Wurtz, McLaughlin, H. Brotherton, Gibbons, Spainhower Second Row—Bonham, Kilgore, Ott, Southall, Henry, Herald, Younger, Moore, Stuart, Faubion Third Row—Lookabaugh, Paddock, Baker, Cole, Brown, Green, Looney, Darrow, Goodfox, Hargrove, Clark, Snow

#### **SCHEDULE**

Aggies .	•	•	•	25	Central State Teachers	6
Aggies .				6	Texas Tech	6
Aggies .				27	Oklahoma University .	29
Aggies .				26	Wichita University .	6
Aggies .				53	Washington University	12
Aggies .				0	Arizona University .	2+
Aggies .	٠			20	Creighton University .	1+
Aggies .				1+	St. Louis University .	7
Aggies .				6	Tulsa University	19



Front Row, left to right—Pratt, Cook, Creager, Rainbow, Davis, Williams, Ancell and Miller Second Row—Tuttle, H. A. Brotherton, Lamb, Olen Miller, Applebee, McKay and Schofield Third Row-Baskin, Lookabaugh, Tate, Wilson, Allison, Westfahl, Witt, Quinn and Raines Fourth Row-Head coach Paul Cochrane; Henry Brotherton, assistant coach; Holmes Underhill, assistant coach; White, Fletcher, Myers, Daily, Martin, Gilbert, Thacker, Barringer, Moore and Newman

Oklahoma A. and M.'s freshman football aggregation played exactly four games last fall and true to heritage and custom they won exactly none of them. A. and M. freshman football teams have pulled this trick so often in the past that a victory might be classed as a modern miracle.

Mentor Paul Cochrane tried every combination known to mankind in an effort to chalk up a victory, all to no avail as his boys, although playing well and never losing a game by a top-heavy margin, still couldn't find the win column or anything resembling a victory hanging around for the plucking.

Opening their season against the Miami Junior College Norsemen, the Puncher yearlings fell before their opposition by a score of 13 to 12.

Second competition of the season was against Tulsa University first year men at the Oil Capitol. The game was close until the final minutes but the Tulsans pinned their worst defeat of the year on the yearlings, 18 to 7. The Tonkawa Mavericks were victors number three over the junior Aggies there, 13 to 6.

In the final game of the season the Cochrane-men had their best chance of the year to tally a victory. Jumping into an early lead the Cowboys held an edge until the final three minutes when they threw a wild pass that back-fired for a Porker touchdown and a 20 to 14 Arkansas victory.

More than a few of the freshmen on the squad show promise of, next year, giving some varsity man a run for his money.

Backfield men showing promise were Lee Cook, Oklahoma City; Leo Pratt, Tulsa Central high school product; and Mack Creager, Tulsa Central lad.

Linemen that should rate high next fall are Warren Witt, great center candidate from Ponca City; Calvin Allison, Lindsay end; Paul Davis, specialist kicking wingman from Siloam Springs, Arkansas; and Tracy Young, guard from Ponca City.

Aiding Coach Paul Cochrane were Holmes Underhill and Henry Brotherton.

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There were revolts of arms, uprisings of state and sundry other major upheavals in national and world affairs in 1941, but the Oklahoma Aggie wrestlers closed out their twenty-fourth season on the mats untouched by revolutionary doctrine, still the cream of America's matmen.

Stowed away with the tights and warmups and memories of another great mat year in March, went the record of the twentieth undefeated Aggie dual season, a twelfth National Collegiate wrestling team title in the fourteen years of the tournament's existence, and an extended string of 33 consecutive dual victories going back to 1937.

And that astounding record was piled up with what might have been regarded as a handicap of almost insurmountable proportions, the absence of Edward Clark Gallagher in the Aggic corner for the first time in the sport's history at A. and M. Death in August of the beloved "Dean of American mat coaches", just before the start of the season, left a great gap in the Puncher mat machine, a gap filled successfully and in striking manner by one of his former pupils, Art Griffith, who moved to Oklahoma A. and M. with a great coaching record from Tulsa Central high school.

The decision of Central Teachers of Edmond not to sponsor the mat sport left the Aggies but six brief matches for their dual season. Apparently that concentration of Aggie offensive attention had unhappy affects on the remaining half-dozen foes.

Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas State, Michigan State, and Oklahoma, twice, went down in crashing order before the Cowboy onslaught. Those six opponents managed to pick up exactly 20 points the entire season against the Aggies, against an A. and M. total of 140 gross points.

The Griffith men traveled far north to Minneapolis for their opener, trimming Minnesota's Golden Gophers 18-6 in their hardest match of the season. Losing Aggies were 128 pounder Sidney Marks and heavyweight Lloyd Arms, who was nosed by the 1941 National Collegiate champ. Other Aggies were extended but came through nobly for the initial win.

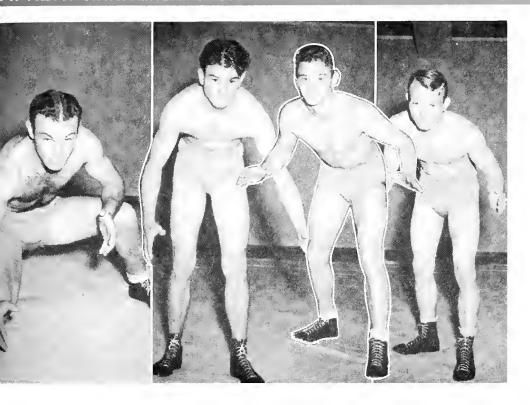
The following night, at Champaign, Illinois, they plastered an identical score on the University of Illinois, the two heaviest Aggies being nosed out in hair-line decisions for the only Illinois points.

Closing out the first half of the Puncher season within a space of five days, the Kansas State-Aggie match at Manhattan, Kansas, found the touring Oklahomans winning over the defending Big Six conference champions by a long 21-3 count. Lone Aggie to lose was 175 pounder Virgil

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Smith, who lost in the closing seconds to Kansas' ace, Leland Porter. The two were destined to meet again later in the finals of the national college tournament, with the decision being reversed.

The belated home debut of the fast-moving matmen had them trouncing unbeaten-until-then Michigan State, 25-5. This championship team moved into the Aggie fieldhouse a formidable opponent with four ex-Oklahoma lads in the lineup, including the Jennings twins who were to win national championships later in the season. Instead of extending the famed Punchers every man but one of the Spartans fell a quick victim to the Puncher power drive.

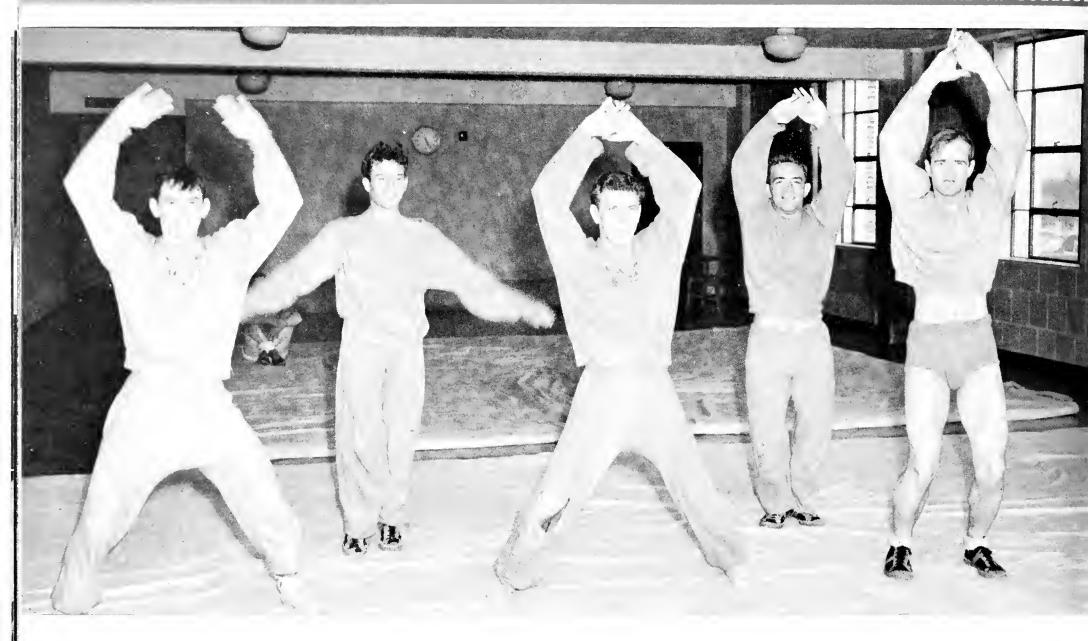
Sole loser was sophomore footballer Leon McKenzie who fell into a quick pin hold and was unable to extricate himself quickly enough to avoid a fall. In the initial match Captain Calvin Melhorn outclassed Spartan Merle Jennings, riding the ex-Tulsa lad faultlessly to take an unextended decision. Unhappily that decision was to be switched, as in the 165 pound weight, in the championship round of the N. C. A. A. tournament a month later. The second Spartan national champion-to-be, Burl Jennings found too much polish in Aggie sophomore Sidney Marks and met a like defeat, in the 128 pound division.

Final matches of the season found ancient-rival Oklahoma University's Sooners crumbling before the Puncher power by whitewash scores of 28-0 and 30-0, as the vengeful Cowboys opened all stops and piled into the middle of every Sooner offering.

Interestingly, exact grapplers carried Aggie colors through the entire dual season, an unusual feat for an Aggie mat team. On the unchanged-all-year team were Captain Calvin Mel-

Left to Right:
Front Row:
Melhorn
Palmer
Tallbutt
Marks
Whitehurst
Arndt
Back Row:
Coach Griffith
Logan
Smith
Arms
Van Bebber
Horn





horn, 121 pounds; Sidney Marks, 128 pounds; Al Whitehurst, 136 pounds; Buddy Arndt, 145 pounds; Earl Van Bebber, 155 pounds; Virgil Smith, 165 pounds; Leon McKenzie, 175 pounds; and Lloyd Arms, heavyweight.

Exactly half the team went through the dual season undefeated, with Melhorn, Whitehurst, Arndt and Van Bebber turning in spotless records.

As usual, the climax of the season was the National Collegiate tournament, held March 21-22 at Bethlehem, Pa. But preceding that last roundup, the Punchers underwent the single line-up change of the year, junior letterman Dillard Talhutt finally decisioning Marks in straight tryouts for the 128 pound team berth to the nationals.

Once east and in the meet, the Aggies covered and dominated the meet like one of the steel center's smoke palls. Despite the toughest and classiest opposition in many years, four Aggies smashed their way to individual titles.

As many times in the past, the Punchers ended far ahead in team totals; two Aggie dual season victims, Michigan State and Minnesota, ended up second and third respectively far to the rear.

Junior ace Al Whitehurst breezed off with his second straight national title at 136 pounds, through a classy field; Buddy Arndt followed suit at 145 pounds; junior Earl Van Bebber swept the next weight, and sophomore Virgil Smith made it a middle weight bout by annexing the 165 pound title.

Whitehurst in addition was chosen the outstanding single competitor of the entire tournament, highest annual honor bestowed on an American wrestler.

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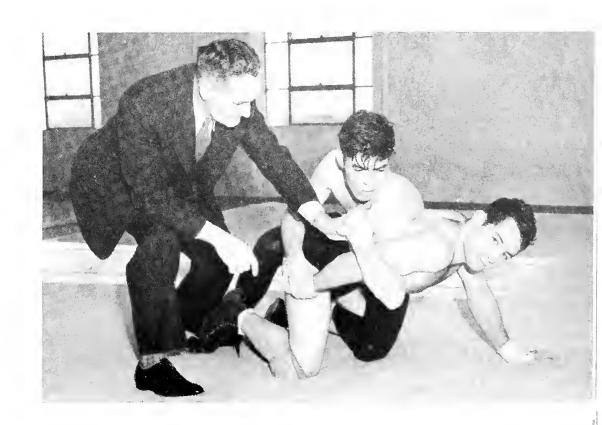
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Besides the four smashing firsts, the amazing Aggies took a second place and two thirds to dominate "their" tournament completely. Calvin Melhorn, sole graduating senior on the team, again took runner-up honors at 121 pounds; 128 pounder Dillard Talbutt placed third as did sophomore Lloyd Arms.

New worlds to conquer? Next season will catch the Aggies with five national champions on deck to form a "nucleus" to the 1942 varsity team. (1940 national champion Vernon Logan, junior 155 pounder, was kept out of competition with a broken nose.) Just how many brash teams will permit themselves on the same mat with that "murderer's" row of champions is a problem.



#### BASEBALL

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Praying desperately for a pitcher, the 1941 Oklahoma Aggie baseball team faced a dismal future at the beginning of the year, although they had an infield and an outfield which had power to spare. "Pitchers" became a flying haze before the eyes of head coach Henry P. Iba, beginning his sixth year as diamond mentor for the Aggie baseballers.

Playing in early season workouts under the eye of assistant Harvey Slade, who filled the coach's seat during the absence of Iba while attending a basketball coaches conference at New York, the new edition of Aggies showed a power in the field and in the batter's box which threw early shivers through opposing schools' teams. The absence of varsity material in the pitcher's box made the Aggies' chances for success rather slim.

Only four of the 1940 baseball lettermen were around at the beginning of the 1941 season, namely Bud Millikan, junior from Marysville, Missouri, who roams the outfield; Al Kellert, junior from Oklahoma City, stellar third baseman; Dub Walker, senior from Dale, combination first baseman and outfielder, and Comer Kraus, senior from Clarksville, Ark., who alternates at first base position with Walker.

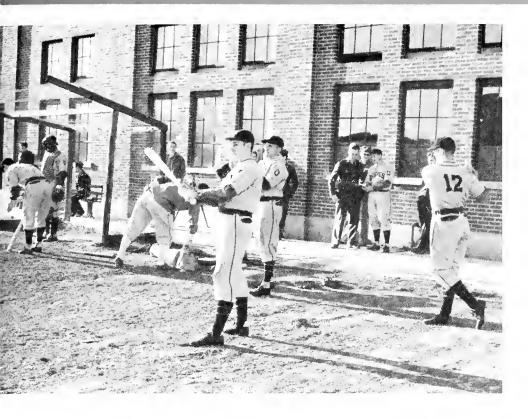
Lost to the team from last year's roster are such outstanding stars as Reinhold Feldkamp, outstanding pitcher whose loss will be doubly felt, Danny Doyle, experienced catcher and one of the best Aggie diamondmen of all time, whose loss also left a hole in the Aggie lineup, and John McGraw, captain of last year's aggregation and outstanding second baseman. The spots vacated by Doyle, McGraw and other graduating Aggies seem to be well in hand, with a number of outstanding men filling the empty positions quite capably.

Number one man and the outstanding rookie is Jiggs Stuart, sophomore sensation from Shattuck, whose work at the bat and in the field around the shortstop position warrant him the praises of ball men the state over. The services of the four returning lettermen are also a high spot in the hopes of Coach Iba, with the fielding positions well and capably filled by Aggie stars.

The 1941 Aggie infield points toward being a nightmare of other diamonds, with three of the returning lettermen holding down positions, and two outstanding sophomores filling up the empty spots. Letterman Albert Kellert at third, and Gomer Kraus and Dub Walker at first form a nucleus for the infield, and the keystone combination of Jiggs Stuart at short and Dow Wiginton at second, both newcomers who figure in being outstanding among Aggie baseball greats, round out an infield which should prove to be a coach's delight.

#### BASEBALL

OKLAHOMA A. AND 'M. COLLEGE



The A. and M. outfield is equally well filled, with lettermen Dub Walker, who rotates between first and the outfield, and Bud Millikan making a good beginning toward an outfield which should be har dto beat. A number of new men are trying for the vacant outfield spot, appearing in early season workouts with such strength that any worries concerning the outer regions of the diamond are already forgotten.

The battery is the weak link in an otherwise strong Aggie ball team, although the catcher's position seems to be filled with a number of boys who should make a good receiving end for the nine.

The worry at present is solely in the pitcher's box, and though a number of boys are trying for the position, none of them resemble a Carl Hubbell or Bobby Feller.

A total of eleven games have been scheduled for the Aggies during the season. This schedule will be one of the toughest that an Aggie team has faced in several years. Besides the games with Central State Teachers College of Edmond, all of A. and M. will be on hand for the traditional games with "Jap" Haskell's strong aggregation from O. U. Last year the Aggies defeated the Sooners 8 to 1 at Lewis Field. The next week when they journeyed down to Norman the Sooners eked out a 9-to-8 victory. The next afternoon the Aggies took the lead in the series with a 9-to-2 triumph.

The last game of the season was played at night at Stillwater. Despite of the advantage of their home field the Aggies couldn't overcome an early lead. The Sooners tied the series with a 6-to-2 triumph. No playoff could be arranged, so the two teams will be out to settle old scores this year.

Left to Right: Front Row:

Douglas

Kellert Millikan

Baucum Wiginton

Walker Moran Hancock

Back Row:

Booher

Gardener Kraus

Stuart Meggs Hopper

Leierer Floyd

Gibbons Hamil

McLaughlin Slade, assistant coach



#### TRACK



Top Row, left to right—Coach Higgins, Hafner, Tate, Nichols, Crimmins, Blankenship Bottom Row—Houston, Johnson, George, Schroeder, James

Oklahoma A. and M. College's track and field combine for the 1941 season, although still lacking in capable weight men, tangled with one of the heaviest and finest track schedules ever compiled for an Aggie cinder team; and judging from early season performances, the Cowboy cindermen may be expected to produce an enviable record.

The strength of the squad for the season rested squarely upon the shoulders of four men, including two seniors, W. L. Clapham of Hooker, and George Gibson, Yukon; one junior, Don Boydston of Sand Springs; and one sophomore, Ralph Tate of Tishomingo.

Clapham and Tate are all-around performers and can take care of eight events between them while Boydston specializes in the high jump and Gibson in the distance events.

In addition to Clapham, Gibson and Boydston, other lettermen are senior Leroy Floyd, Argonia, Kansas, and juniors Billy Munn, Enid; H. C. Edwards, Temple; Bill Bowles, Tulsa; Julius Patillo, Wellington, Texas; and L. J. Eggleston, Walters.

Sophomores being depended upon by Coach Ralph Higgins are Tate, Foster Johnson, Mangum; Herbert George, Drumright; Angus Schroeder, Tulsa; and James Hafner, St. Louis, Missouri.

Junior squadsmen are Jack Taylor, Waurika, and Bill Crimmins, Coweta.

Last year the Aggie team won its second straight Missouri Valley conference title but this year will run into plenty of opposition from the rejuvenated Drake University combine.

The Puncher cindermen opened their 1941 season rather inauspicuously, losing to the potent Nebraska Cornhuskers by a score of 60 to 44.

#### TRACK



Top Row, left to right—Patillo, Munn, Bowles, Boydston, Clapham, Floyd Bottom Row—Taylor, Eggleston, Edwards, Gibson, Deaton, Burke

To provide early competition for five of the more proficient members of his team Coach Ralph Higgins took in the Border Olympics and the exclusive San Antonio meet. Don Boydston, the Aggies' great high-jump star, leaped to the Border Olympics championship in his event and the following day in San Antonio broke the Southwest record with a leap of six foot seven inches. W. L. Clapham also created a new mark in the same meet with a broad jump of 24 feet 11 inches.

Clapham served as honorary captain in the Nebraska meet and came through with high point honors, garnering 13 from a first in the broad jump, seconds in the 60 yard low hurdles and 60 yard dash and a tie for second in the high jump.

Don Boydston cracked another record, breaking the Nebraska fieldhouse mark. In his first three meets Boydston jumped only high enough to win and set a meet record and then donned his sweat clothes without trying higher or displacing the bar.

The complete 1941 A. and M. track schedule:

March 22—University of Nebraska at Lincoln

March 29—Wichita University at Wichita

April 5—Texas Relays at Austin

April 12—Colorado at Colorado Spring, Colorado

April 14—University of Colorado at Boulder, Colorado (Indoor)

April 22—University of Missouri at Columbia

April 25-26—Drake Relays at Des Moines, Iowa

May 1—University of Oklahoma at Norman

May 9—Kansas State at Stillwater

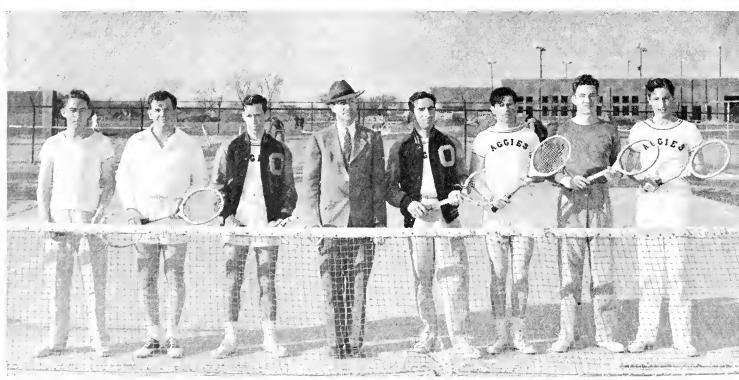
May 17-Missouri Valley Conference Meet at Tulsa

### TENNIS TEAM

With the return of the entire 1940 net squad, the tennis forces of Oklahoma A. and M. seemed to be on the up-hill trend, until the shocking news that the number one and two men were not to be in school. Only two of the 1940 varsity returning, with another netman from the freshman squad, the hopes of Coach DeWitt Hunt seemed to have flown out the window.

But reaching down into the grab bag and coming forth with four sensational sophomores, paired with the three experienced Aggies, Coach Hunt spent no time mourning lost players but started in upon what may develop into one of the strongest of Aggie net squads. Entering the Oklahoma City National Indoor Tennis Tournament for valuable early season experience, the three returning Aggie lettermen acquitted themselves well and should win many matches before the end of this season. Jack Pickens, freshman star from last year and Tulsa Public Courts champion, took over the number one spot vacated by George Counts on his withdrawal from school, beating out the number three and four men of last year's team. Taking the second position on the squad, Bob Karlovitch, number three man last year, should be able to take a portion of heavy load off of Coach Hunt's shoulders. Rated the sensation of the lesser known tennis stars of the Oklahoma City match, Clifford Williams holds down the number three spot on the team with ease.

Battling for the number four spot on the Aggie team are four sophomores who seem to be real comers. Leading in early season workouts, Jim Winterringer, Stillwater court man, is in the best position to pull down the berth, although such a slight difference is noted among the group that any one of them could take the court without costing the Aggies power. Others out for the berth are Dave Heller, Stillwater, Bill Crandall, Tulsa, and Ed Johnson, Oklahoma City.



Left to Right-Johnson, Crandall, Williams, Coach Hunt, Karlovitch, Pickens, Winterringer, Heller

### GOLF TEAM

The sport of golf, never a long suit with Oklahoma A. and M. athletes, is looking forward to one of its better seasons this year with three fine junior lettermen returning to pound the pellet in inter-collegiate competition during the 1941 campaign.

Due to the fact that Stillwater golf courses are some distance from the campus and A. and M. players rarely get enough early season practice, Coach Harry Dolman's boys have been unable to pull their sport up to the level of proficiency usually enjoyed by a majority of A. and M. athletic representatives.

This year, however, is expected to be their year and with the three lettermen aided by such candidates as newcomers Charles Shafer, Nowata; Norton Higgins, Stillwater; Laird Ingham, Newkirk; Jim West and Jim Kelley, both of Sapulpa, and Carl Cary, Heavener; the record book may show more wins than losses this spring.

A program of seven inter-collegiate dual meets have been booked along with participation in the annual Missouri Valley Conference tournament.

Returning lettermen are Kelly Owen, Stillwater; Leo McGeehon, Muskogee; and Alvin Hall, letterman two years ago from Pawhuska.

The 1941 golf schedule is as follows:

March 31—Wichita University at Stillwater.

April 12—Tulsa University at Tulsa.

April 19—Oklahoma University at Stillwater.

April 28—Texas Tech at Oklahoma City.

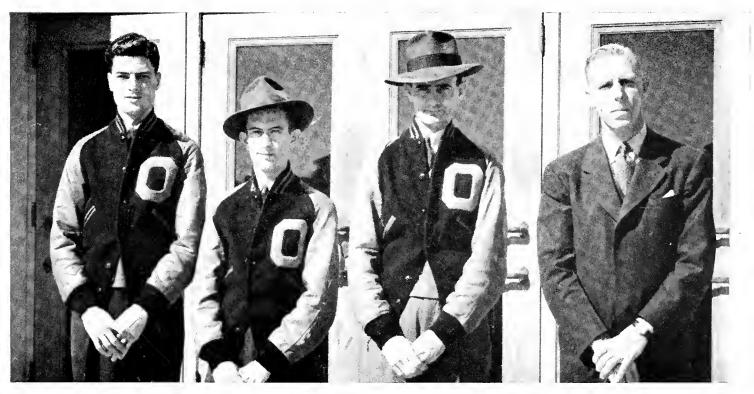
May 2—Wichita University at Wichita.

May 3—Oklahoma University at Norman.

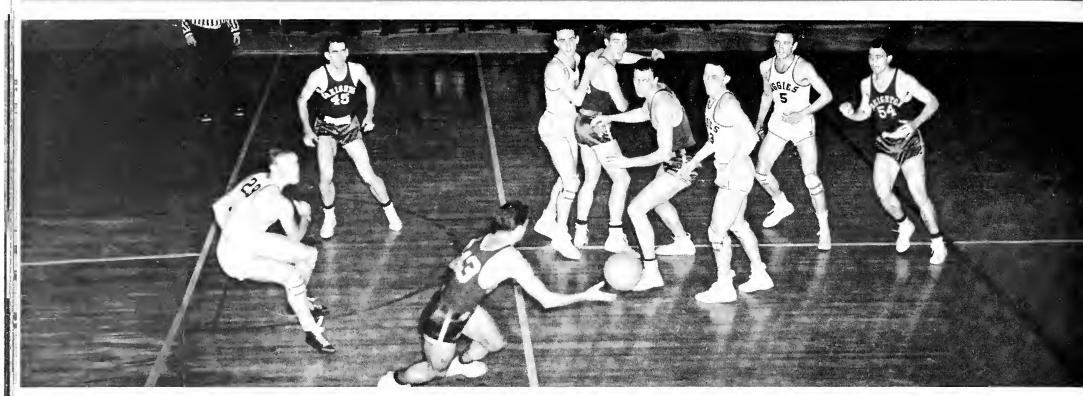
May 12—Tulsa University at Stillwater.

May 15, 16—Missouri Valley Conference meet at Tulsa.

Left to Right-Stone, Owen, McGeehon, Dolman



IFTIETH MINIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE



There can be no abler manner of describing the 1940-41 edition of Oklahoma A. and M. basketball representatives than to say that the then current Aggie quintet was a distinct "In and Outer"

Eighteen games were won and only seven were lost during the season's play to make the year a distinct success if approached from the standpoint of the won and lost columns. However, there were other points to consider and although the blemishes on the year's record were in decided minority to the number of bright spots, the losses marked up were especially bitter to swallow.

This year's Cowboy cagers pulled the puzzling trick of defeating their tougher opponents with ease, when cast in the roles of definite underdogs, and then turning the tables and losing to the weakest combines on their schedule. For the first time in five years the Punchers failed to win or at least tie for the championship of the Missouri Valley conference. Creighton University, perennially one of the better conference fives, lost three games in conference competition and won nine but the Aggies managed to drop four tilts giving them second place spot in the loop.

The Ibamen, also defending champions of the Oklahoma City Invitational Tournament, held during the Christmas holidays, lost out to a mediocre Pittsburgh Teachers outfit in the semi-finals and had to be content with the third place position this year. Losses were at the hands of the Creighton Bluejays, the Tulsa Hurricanes, the weak St. Louis Billikans and Washington University Bears in conference play. Outside of the league the Punchers dropped close tilts to Kansas University, Southern California and the Pittsburgh Teachers.

The zenith of the season was reached early as the Aggie opened with a 48 to 42 conquest of Texas University before flying east for competition against three of the nation's better Atlantic Seaboard combines.

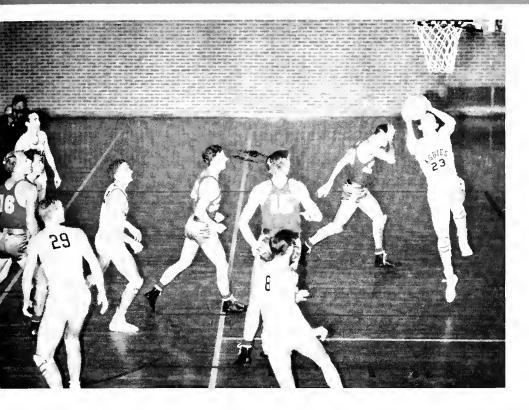
Opening with City College of New York in Madison Square Garden, the Punchers galloped to a 34 to 26 conquest of the high rated C. C. N. Y. five.

The Aggies were never in danger in this one and sewed up the tilt with ease before a record crowd of 18,000 in the gigantic sport center.

The second Cowboy victim of the tour was the St. Joseph quint in the City of "Brotherly Love", Philadelphia.

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The Hawks never threatened and the Punchers poured it on with a 40 to 26 conquest. From Philadelphia the Punchers entrained for the Washington capitol at Washington, D. C., there to play the proud George Washington University team. The Colonels boasted one of the East's finest cage records over the last five years and lived up to their reputation of being one of the country's better teams as they battled the Punchers all the way.

At the end of regular playing time the two opponents were tied up at 32 points apiece. In the extra period the Punchers turned on the heat to score five

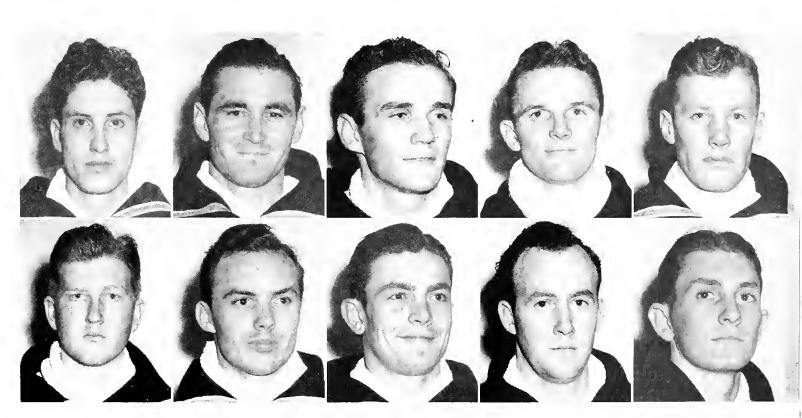
points while their opposition could cash in for a lone tally. The final score was Aggies 38, Colonels 32.

Several of the Oklahoma A. and M. players received honors for the season's campaign. In the Oklahoma City tournament in which the Aggies placed third, L. J. Eggleston won a position on the all-tournament first team and also garnered high scoring honors for a single game in the meet. Eggleston came through with a total of 21 points against the Wyoming Cowboys, Big Seven champs this year. Vern Schwertfeger, tall Puncher center was placed on the all-tournament second team.

When the Missouri Valley Conference selections were made Gene Smelser, Puncher senior forward, was picked for a first team berth and Vern Schwertfeger annexed a second team pivot slot selection. Leroy Floyd, who led the team in scoring for the season, gained honorable mention.

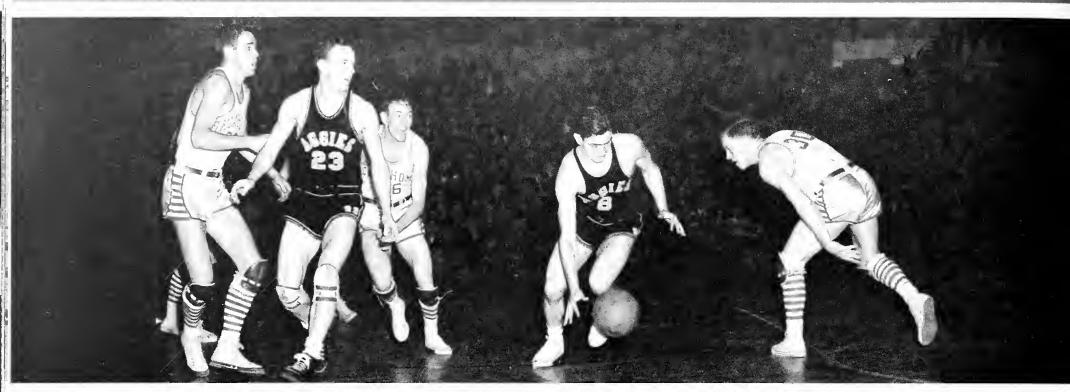
L. J. Eggleston, brilliant Aggie junior, who broke his hand in mid-season, was out of the Aggie line-up for ten games during the year and missed out on a Missouri Valley first team selection only for that reason.

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Top Row:
Bell
Darrow
Eggleston
Floyd
Francis
Bottom Row:
Gray
Maddox
Millikan
Newman
Pate



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Five lettermen will be lost to Coach Henry Iba when he calls for his boys next fall in the persons of Leroy Floyd, senior guard from Argonia, Kansas; Gene Smelser, forward from Oklahoma City; Vern Schwertfeger, center from Satante, Kansas; Harvey Pate, Oklahoma City, guard; and Howard Francis, center from Altus.

Returning lettermen next year will be L. J. Eggleston, forward from Walters; Bud Millikan, guard from Marysville, Missouri; J. T. Newman, forward from Quanah, Texas; Charles Scheffel, forward from Enid; and Jackie Taylor, forward from Waurika. Next year's Puncher aggregation will be short on height but should be long on speed and finesse. Several fine freshman products of this year's scintillating squad should prove a potent factor in the Aggie scheme of things for next season.

Cecil Hankins, high scoring forward from Tulsa; Sam Aubrey, one of the best freshman center prospects in years; and Landreth Lloyd, another forward from Burbank; are all to be depended upon for great performances next year.

Opening the season with their thrilling 48 to 42 conquest of the Texas University Longhorns the Court Cowboys then made their triumphant tour through the East as already related.

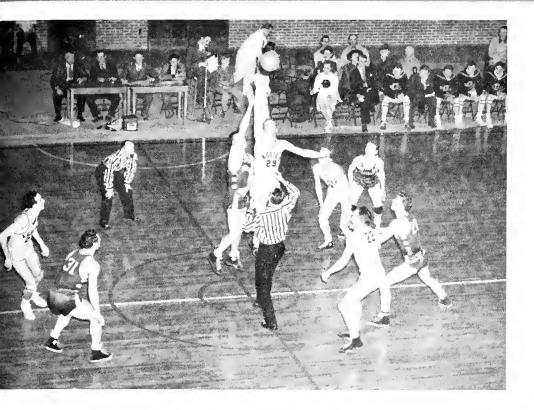
Returning from the Atlantic side of the nation the Punchers met the invading Southern California quintet just before the Christmas holidays. The Ags went into the fracas boasting a record of not having lost a game on the home court for the past three and one-half years over which period of time they had won 47 straight contests. The Trojans jumped into an early lead that kept the Aggies from ever getting within shooting distance until the last few minutes, when it was too late to pull the game out of the fire.

In the Oklahoma City tournament during the holidays the Punchers met the Texas A. and M. combine. The Aggies pinned a 38 to 30 defeat on the Southwest Conference aggregation.

Next team played was the Wyoming Cowboys, later to win the Big Seven championship. Against the Wyoming team the Oklahoma A. and M. team played their best game of the year and at the end of the well-played tilt were on the long end of a 46 to 36 count. L. J. Eggleston set a new scoring record for an Iba-coached Aggie when he rang up 21 points in the fracas.

The following night in the semi-finals the Pittsburgh Teachers could do nothing wrong and the Aggies could do no right as the Teachers took the Punchers into camp 24 to 20. In the consolation finals the Cowboys wiggled by the "Tallest Team in the World", the North Texas State Teachers, winning 44 to 41.

TIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OKLAHOMA A. AND M. COLLEGE



Following their tournament stint the Aggies opened their conference schedule against the Tulsa University team, at home. Winning over the Hurricane by 39 to 23 the Ags went into their game against the Creighton Bluejays with confidence and annexed an easy 41 to 31 win.

In practice during the following week, L. I. Eggleston, leading Puncher scorer and able ball hawk, broke his hand and threw the A. and M. camp into a turmoil. Coach Iba switched his combinations about but in their first game without Eggleston, against the weakest team in the league, the St. Louis Billikens, who failed to win a single game,

the Punchers were the recipients of an ignominious 32 to 29 loss. Two nights later the Washington Bears added insult to injury by trampling the Ags in an overtime tilt by a count of 21 to 18.

Coach Iba had changed his offense from a fast scoring combination to one that was highly defensive. It took the team these two games to adapt themselves to this new technique.

With the entire state and student body then doubting if they could defeat a good junior high team the Punchers invaded Norman for a battle with the dangerous Sooners. The game there is history, beautiful history, as the Aggies pasted a 29 to 18 loss on the O. U. team.

Henry P. Iba is known not only as one of the most successful young coaches in the basketball world, but he is also liked and respected by the players whom he molds into his smooth units of perfection.

Although the Aggies did not win the Missouri Valley crown, they did have a successful season. They finished the season still recognized as one of the strongest teams in the southwest. The veterans: Leroy Floyd, Gene Smelser, Vern Schwertfeger, Harvey Pate and Howard "Bones" Francis will be replaced to strengthen the Aggie team for next year.

Left to Right: Top Row: Schwertfeger Sheffel Smelser Steinmeir TaylorBottom Row: Wiginton Gray Fletcher Clovis



### VARSITY SQUAD



Front Row, left to right—Floyd, Sheffel, Millikan, Smelser, Clovis, Newman, Maddox, Eggleston, Taylor, Wiginton Back Row—Coach Henry Iba, Bell, Gray, Fletcher, Schwertfeger, Steinmeir, Francis, Pate, Darrow, Johnson, assistant coach.

A week later the Sooners landed in Gallagher Hall determined to revenge the three straight losses at the hands of the Ibamen. The Aggies had perfected their new offense, and smoothly the cool Cowboys ripped the Sooners' defense to a 38-to-23 victory to make it four straight wins over the Norman quintet.

March the 4th the Aggies' hopes for the conference championship were blasted when they were nosed out by the Golden Hurricanes from Tulsa.

Other high spots of the remaining season was a 30-to-26 conquest of the Kansas University quintet. Doctor Allen's team gave six thousand Aggie fans a thrilling game. Outstanding for the night was the strong Aggie defense that allowed Kansos's All-American forward, Howard Engleman, only three points. The five seniors closed their college competition at Lawrence, Kansas, while suffering a 34-to-31 drubbing at the hands of the Jayhawkers. The Jayhawkers held a twelve-point lead at the end of the first half. With the roaring support of the loyal Aggie pep clubs that made the trip, the Ibamen struck with a late rally that fell just short of victory.

### SWIMMING TEAM



Front Row, left to right—Brink, Wiley, Clubb, Donaldson, Riggs, McClure Second Row—Surman, Bright, Lawson, Tarr, Sales

The Oklahoma A. and M. College swimming team, coached by Merrel Clubb, branched out for the first time into competition of national caliber, by taking a four day trip and meeting the three best teams in the Southwest on successive nights. The Cowboys lost to Texas A. and M., Texas University, and the Dallas Athletic Club after acquitting themselves remarkably well with so little experience. In the win column the Aggies have two victories over the University of Oklahoma. In the A. and M. College pool the Sooners were sunk 17-58, the Aggies compiling the highest score in the history of swimming between the two schools. The second dual match was forfeited by the Sooners.

The team was made up of four seniors: David Wiley, James Tarr, Jimmy McClure, and Johnny Brink; two Juniors, Merrel Clubb and Paul Lawson; and four sophomores; Jim Sales, Gene Riggs, Bill Donaldson, and Eugene Bright.

Since only two teams entered the Missouri Valley Conference Meet, a dual meet between Washington University and Oklahoma A. and M. College decided the champion. Washington won by a score of 47-28. However the results of the dual meet show that the Aggies would have won easily under championship conditions. Jimmy Sales of A. and M. broke the only conference record when he swam the 200 yard breaststroke in 2 minutes 38 seconds. Clubb retained his hold on the 50 and 100 yard free style titles, while David Wiley won the diving crown for the third straight year. The 1942 season looms up with bright prospects, for the addition of two state high school champions and ten other promising boys will give the team strength where it is most needed.

### W. A. A.



The Women's Athletic Association was organized on the Oklahoma A. and M. College campus during the fall of 1920. This association was organized for the purpose of promoting a high physical efficiency by creating an interest in physical activities and fostering a spirit of good sportsmanship.

All women students on the campus are eligible for membership into this association and may become active members upon earning 100 points or by participating in two sports. All competition is on an intramural basis and varsity, second, and third teams are chosen for each team sport at the close of each sport season. Upon earning 400 points, a member is given an "O" pin guard to be

Front Row, left to right—Wilson, Fox, Sheehan, Colvin
Second Row—Sullivan, May, Duck, Helberg, E. Gilbert, Allen, Nauss, O. Gilbert
Third Row—Peaden, Wampler, Gilbert, Ross
Fourth Row—Doty, Rogert, Dilahunty, Koonce, Jones, Sears, N. Fox, Ives, Franx, Longacre
Fifth Row—Scroggins, Rife, Ford, Shapiro, Smith, Bisel
Back Row—Kolachney, Backham, Roach



### W. A. A.

worn on the W. A. A. pin. The highest award given is the "O" jacket. This jacket is earned after the student has received 800 points.

Each year the colleges of the state hold a Play Day to promote the highest ideals of sportsmanship among college women. This year it was held at Falls Creek with the Oklahoma Baptist University as hostess. The nine representatives sent this year were: Margaret Fox, Virgie Ruth Duck, Vivienne Kolachny, Betty Webber, Frances Sheehan, Vivian Doty, Maurine Peaden, Nancy Bisel and Margie Yetman.

The executive board, which consists of Margaret Fox, president; Helen Koonce, vice-president; Virgile Duck, secretary; Waterman, business manager; Cleo Nancy Bisel, publicity manager; and the sports leaders, Margie Yetman, hockey; Vera Helberg, speedball and LaCrosse; Louise Sullivan, volleyball; Nadine Wilbasketball; Vivienne Kolachny, son, swimming; Maurine Peaden, softball; Pauline Upshaw, hiking; Anna Beth Reeves, tennis; Olive Ruth Gilbert, golf, and Frances Sheehan, individual sports, has done much to promote the work of this association. The sponsor for W. A. A. is Miss Valerie Colvin.

The organization is looking forward to the coming year.



### MEATS JUDGING TEAM

When school started last fall it was the beginning of another session of hours at the Meat Lab. when they could have been studying. Their next big show was at Kansas City, The American Royal Livestock Show. They were rewarded for the many hours spent in work-outs by winning another first. This last contest was so close that only a few points determined the winner and runner-up. Coach Beall had his fingers crossed when the next show came up; this was their last and their biggest show. It was the famous International Stock Show that has been held annually for 60 years.



Left to Right:
Dupy
Christian
Beale
Thomas
Miller

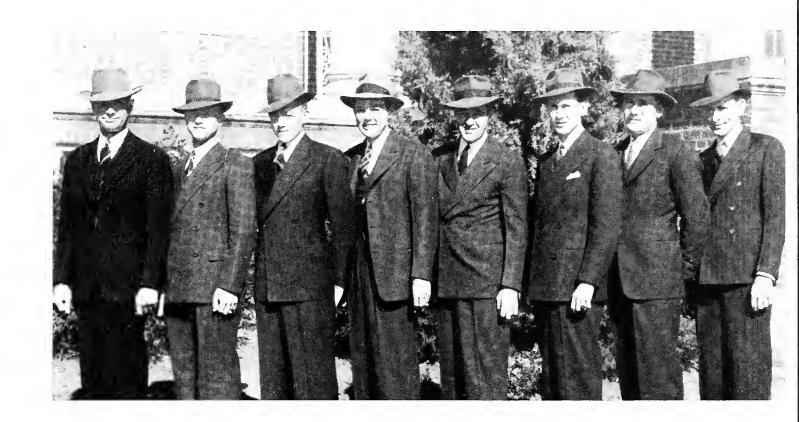
The team visited Iowa State College at Ames on their trip to Chicago. In Chicago they were honored by dinners given by the various packing companies. At the end of competition they had taken second place and were ready to return.

In the study of meat production the most important thing is what the consumer demands. To better understand what animals will look like after killing and to know desirable meat is one purpose of the Meats Judging Team. It was composed of Cleo Dupy, Wayne Miller, Aubrey Christian, and Oscar Thomas. Their work was interesting because it dealt with a necessity of our life. Their travels and experiences were many because of the nature of the work. The team was coached by J. A. Beale, who is the professor of Farm Meats in the Animal Husbandry Department. The boys started working out early last spring and by the time the Fort Worth Show came up the team had been selected and was ready to go. They won first at this show and a large Loving Cup was placed in the lobby of the A. H. building among those other blue ribbons and cups of past teams' triumphs.

### LIVESTOCK JUDGING TEAM

The halls of the Animal Husbandry building are full of all kinds of trophies, medals, cups, pictures and placques. They are the marks that the champions have left in passing. The pictures on the walls, the boys that took the honors in all judging contests, these pictures show that this school has been sending winning teams to stock shows for a long, long time. This year's team was coached by Professor Bruce R. Taylor who is referred to by his team as "Prof." He is one of the best liked men in the A. H. department and the boys work for him like they will for no one else. Coach Taylor started having work-outs late in the Fall of '39.





In January of '41 the team made its first trip to Denver. There, they were fifth in the entire contest, with Heidebrecht high man on cattle. They returned home to work harder than ever in preparation for the Fort Worth contest. This was another tough job and they finished seventh. They were second on horses and mules. They were through work for the rest of that semester and were also excused from their regular judging classes.

When the fall semester started again they were hard at work; class work through the week and a five hour work-out on every Saturday. Practice on giving reasons, corrections and explanation on what they should have done on the local classes. At last it was time for the American Royal at Kansas City. Again it seemed as though the breaks were against them and they placed third. They came home to really work hard, but they placed tenth at the International in Chicago.

The team was made up of Bob Morford, Bill Cole, Allan Heidebrecht, Wayne Christian, Arthur Carrier, Ed Fowler, and Delbert Graham.

### GRAIN JUDGING TEAMS

The Agronomy department in the School of Agriculture has judging teams as well as some of the other departments. The Crops Judging Team is majoring in Field Crops and is coached by Professor Hi Staten. The boys on the team are Dean Bunch, John Steichen, Lauren Clark, Louis Chessmore, and Marion Beard. There are three distinct parts in a Crop Judging Contest and a total of a team's placings in all three are used to rank the team for the whole contest. There are two major contests that Oklahoma A. and M. College sends a team to: The International Hay and Grain Show at Chicago, and The National Intercollegiate Crops Judging Show at Kansas City. There were ten teams competing at the Kansas City Show; Oklahoma A. and M. College placed third as a team. Beard was first in the Seed Judging with the highest number of points ever earned in this division. The team was second in Seed Judging, third in the Commercial Grading division, and fourth in the Identification division. They also had the high man for the show, Beard. Elling was sixth in individual ranking, and Steichen was tenth.

The big show of the year for these boys is the International, held in Chicago. They seemed to be consistent for they placed third as a team in this contest. The team was first in the Commercial Grading. Elling was high man in this division, with Steichen second. The team was sixth in the Seed Judging and Steichen was rated tenth individual.

The team worked well together and there was not the friction between individuals as on some of the other teams. They worked hard and it was only the "better team" that defeated them.



Front Row, left to right-Steichen, Staten, Bunch Second Row-Clark, Chessmore, Beard, Elling

### POULTRY JUDGING TEAM

The Poultry Husbandry Department is headed by Professor Thompson, aided by Associate Professor Penquite; and Assistant Professors Jaap, and Milby. Classrooms and offices are located in the Animal Husbandry Building. The Poultry Department operates in the Agricultural Engineering Building, a modern hatchery for instruction and research. A farm service provides a laboratory for work in market eggs and poultry. Two large brooder houses and special rooms offer facilities for brooding exercises with all types of brooding equipment. Eleven varieties of chickens and five breeds of turkeys are available for judging, breed type and breeding studies. The Oklahoma Egg Laying Test offers additional opportunity for breeding and production study.

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Before a boy can be on the Poultry Judging Team he must be enrolled in a Poultry Judging Course. After the semester is well under way, the team is picked and begins to make judging trips to Oklahoma City and Guthrie contests. They also make several state shows. The team judges; Production, Exhibition, Live Market Poultry, Dressed Poultry and Eggs. The largest show at which they judge is in Chicago, The Mid-Western Poultry Judging Meet. Wann was the high man in the Production for the contest. The boys on the team were; Bill Tallant, Lyndon Wann, John Hooper and Thomas Hamilton. They were coached by Dr. Robert Penquite.



Left to Right-Wann, Tallant, Hooper, Dr. Penquite (coach), Hamilton

### DAIRY JUDGING TEAMS



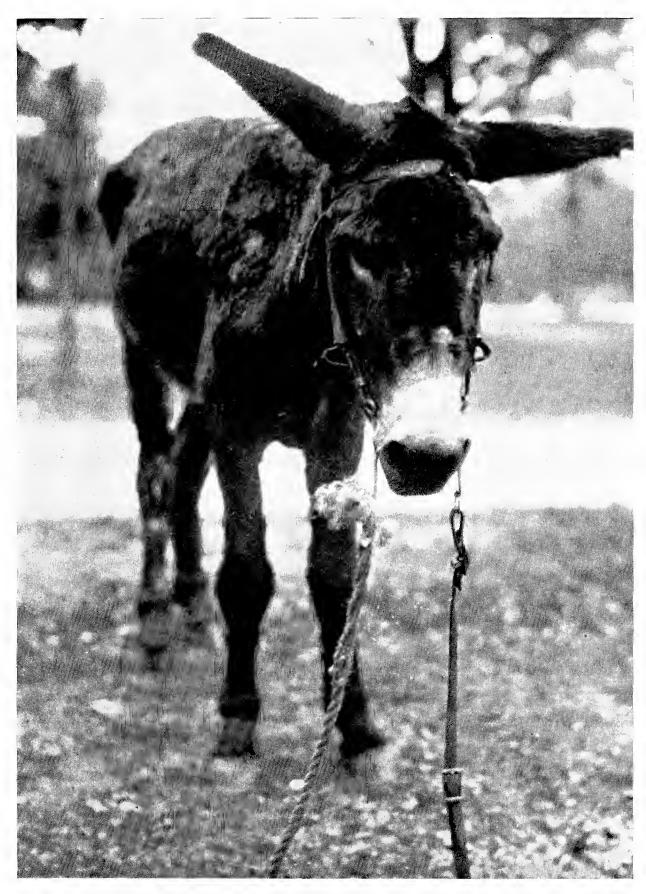
Left to Right: Front Row: Goodbary Berousek Burton Back Row: Bowlan Goodwin Prof. P. C. McGilliard, Coach

The Dairy Cattle Judging Team competed in the two major contests of the U. S., The Dairy Cattle Congress, Waterloo, Iowa; and The National Dairy Show, Harrisburg, Pa. The team was fourth at Waterloo, and eighth at Harrisburg. Ernest Berousek, Si Bowlan, and Clifford Burton were on the team. Professor P. C. McGilliard was the coach.

The Dairy Production Team was composed of Russell Beachboard, Clarence Coggins, and Fred Jolly. They competed at only one contest, in Fort Worth, and took first prize. They judged ice cream, cheese, butter, and milk. The team was first in all products excepting ice cream.



Left to Right: Front Row: Coggins Jolly Back Row: Prof. Krienke Beachboard Frazier



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#### HISTORY REPEATS

The 1933 REDSKIN carried a full page cartoon in its razz section devoted to the incident of nine Hell Hounds who were arrested after an alcoholic serenade following one of its initiations.

This year, history repeated itself. Instead of the setting being on the lawn of the Theta mansion, it was on the front porch of the Kappa Delta house (which, incidentally, is just across the street from the home of the college's President).

Serenades are beautiful . . . except during sorority initiations and on one of the few nights when our good prexy was home from his many travels. Behold! day break had hardly reached our campus before Dr. Echols' discipline committee was well aware of the incident . . . Who likes beer anyway? . . . not the Hell Hounds . . . who likes new Hell Hound jackets? . . . not the initiates. Neither was seen by the organization, which became extinct for the remaining part of the semester. Repentance and promises to forever forsake that drink "that made Milwaukee famous" brought reinstatement the night before the traditional O. U. basketball game. Like the flowers of Spring, the bright orange hue again blossoms forth on the Aggie campus . . . forever?

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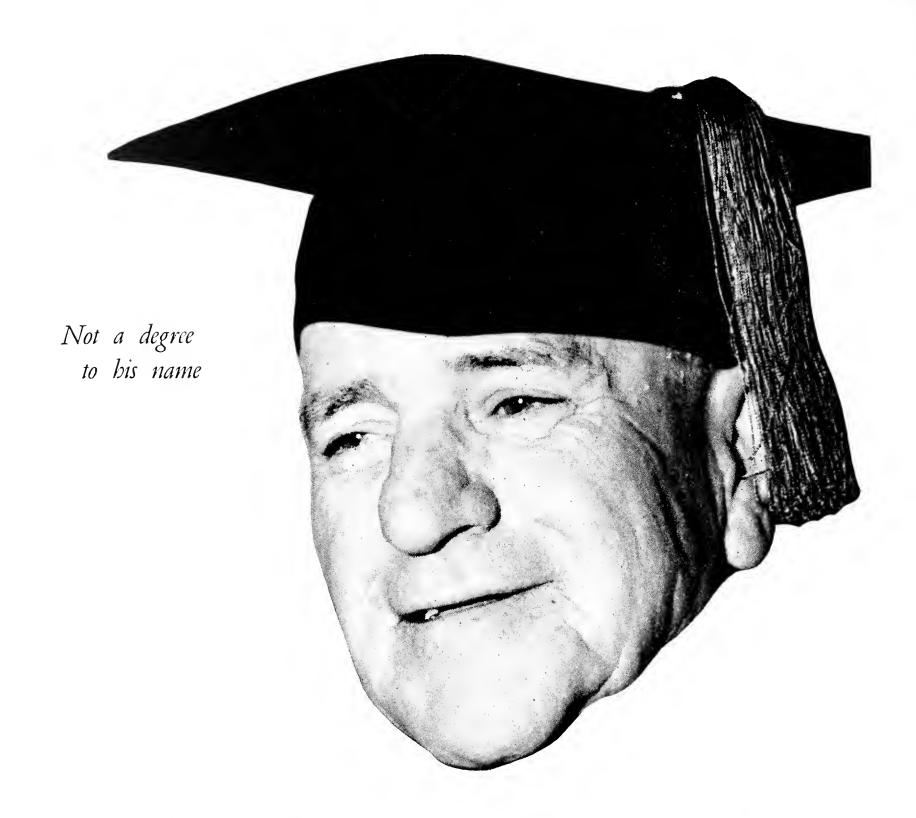
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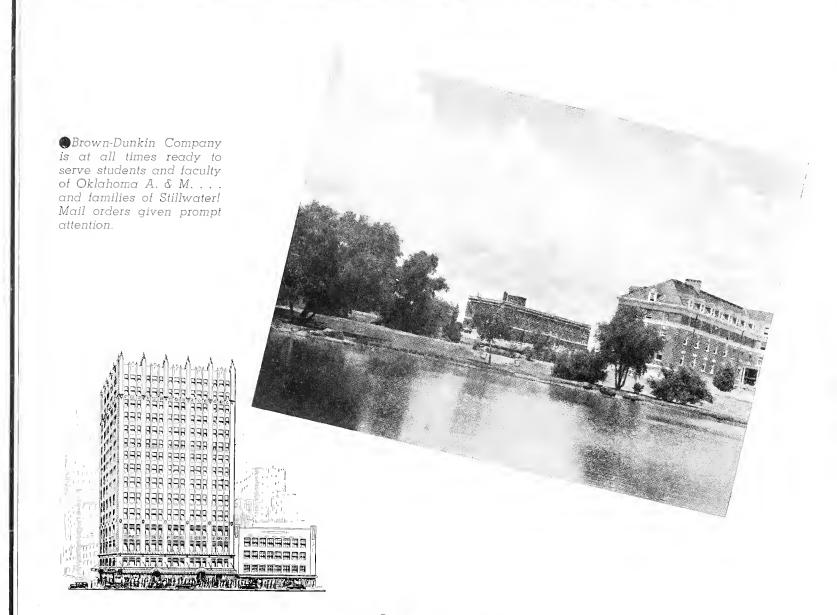
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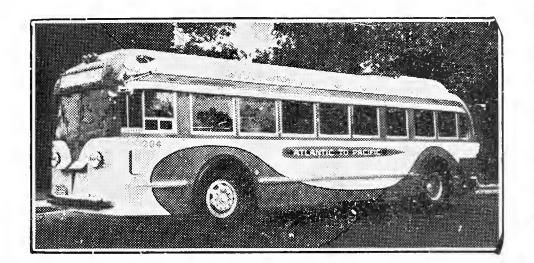
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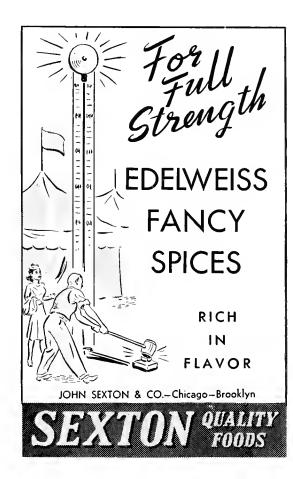


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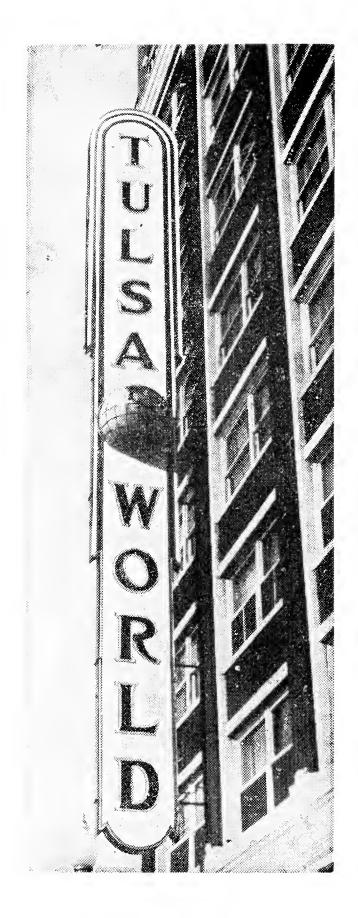
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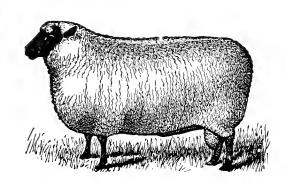
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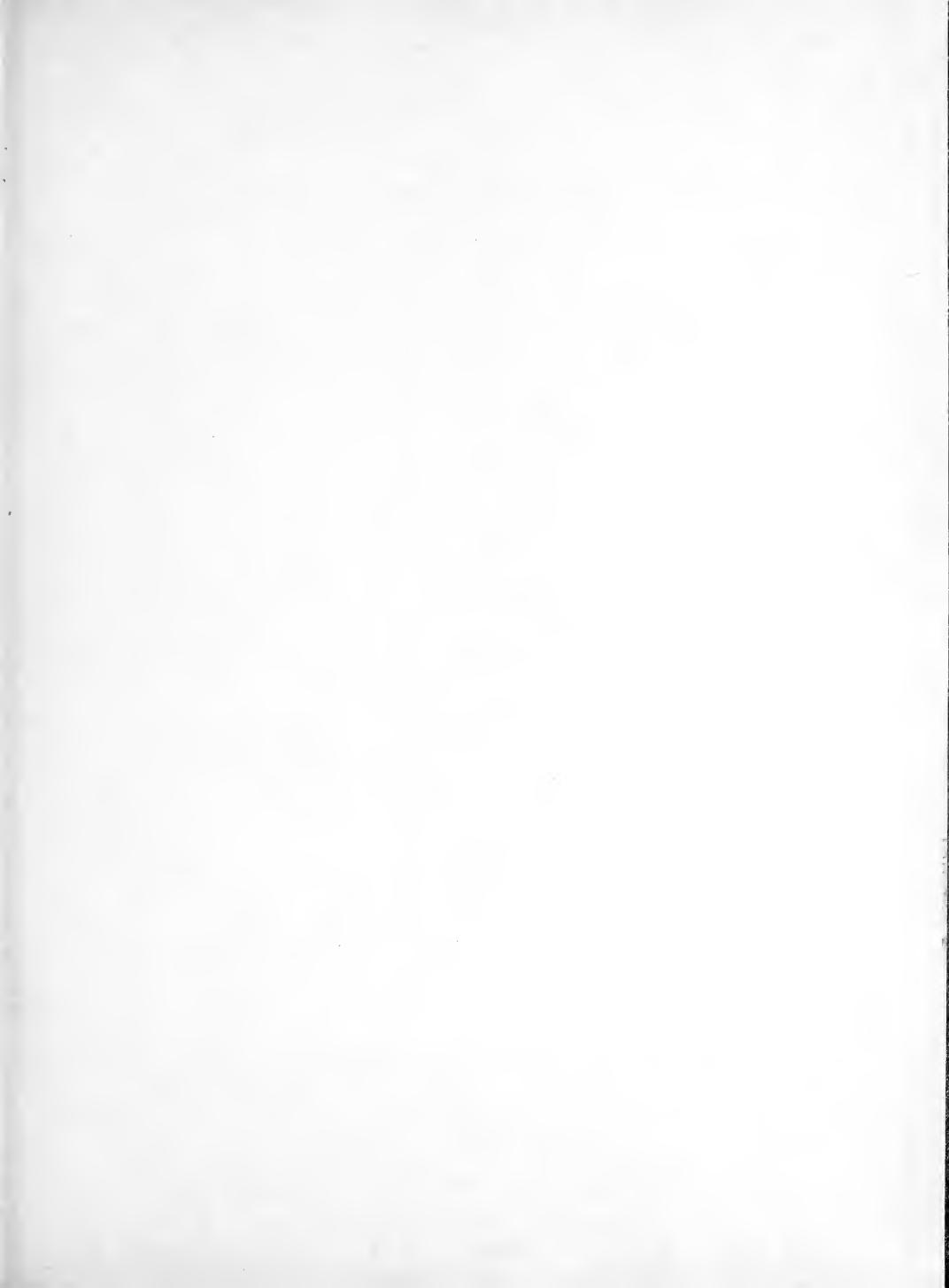
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